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Azaleas . . . for lasting beauty



SEVERAL years ago we planted these lovely Yellow Chinese Azaleas with Blue Scilla bulbs in the private garden of Mr. Bobbink, and the result is this delightful picture taken this May. This hardy, deciduous, and dependable Azalea is one of the true yellow types we have developed from the group of *Azalea mollis* hybrids. Similar effects may be easily obtained no matter how few or how many plants are desired.

We also have a deeper yellow type probably best described as orange-yellow, developed from *A. mollis* hybrids. Visitors to our gardens often tell us they never knew such gorgeous yellow colors existed in the Azalea family. Let us acquaint you with them.

SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY OFFER

5 Yellow Azaleas for \$7.25

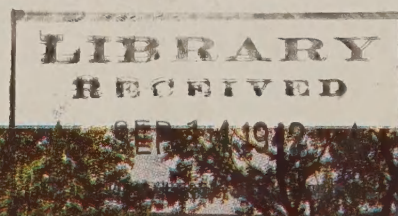
as illustrated (Regular value \$8.75)

Blooming-size plants, 1 to 1½ feet

or 5 Orange-Yellow Azaleas

same price and size

Ordinarily we do not offer bulbs. Believing there will be inquiries for the Blue Scillas, we offer them in lots of 25 for \$3; 50 for \$5.



WE SHOW here a planting of B. & A. Hybrid Mollis Azaleas. The Mollis group are a hardy, dependable family of Deciduous Azaleas which burst forth in spring with masses of large flowers especially notable for the rich yellows, apricots, oranges, including burnt orange and glorious burnished copper. They do not suffer the dessicating influence of winter cold and wind as do evergreen plants and are therefore long-lived, increasing in stature and beauty every year.

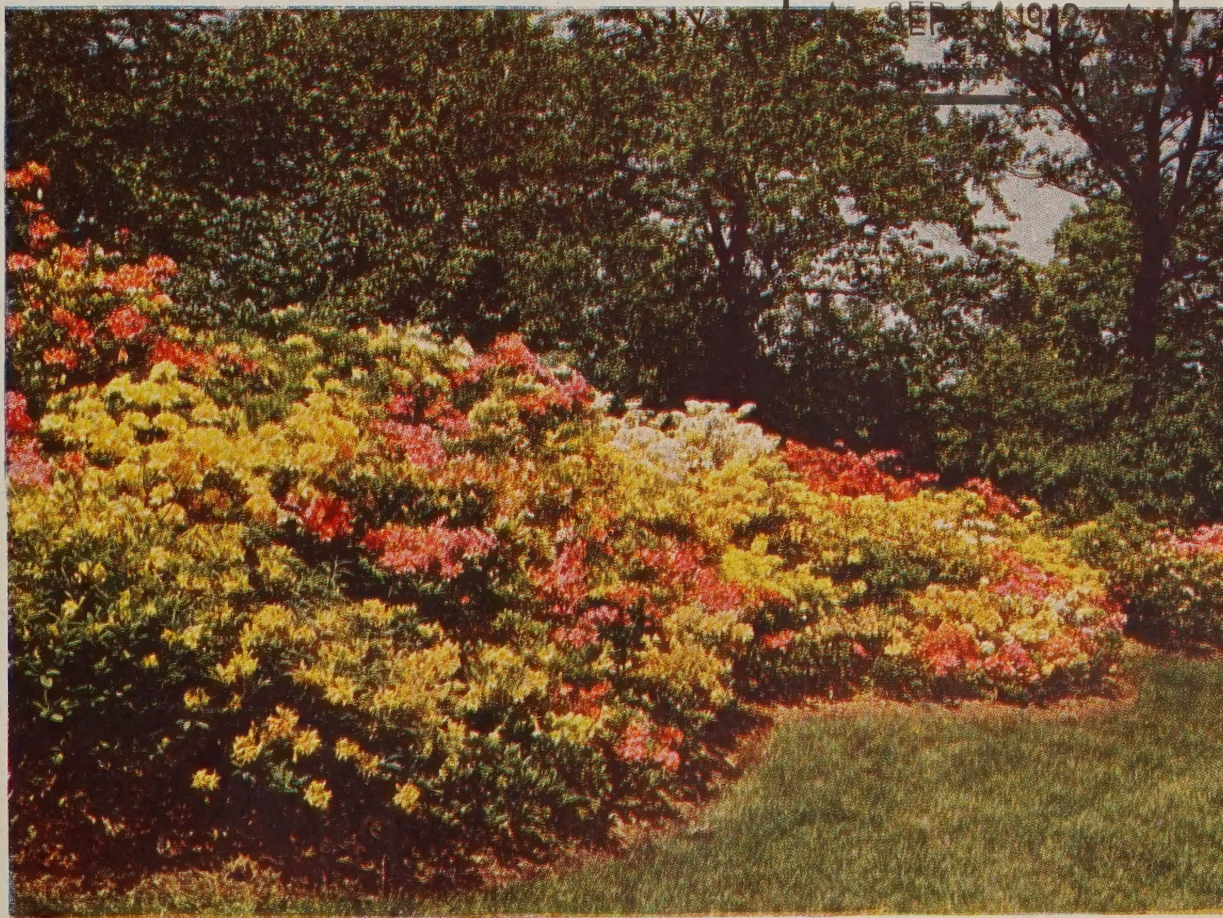
If you do not grow these lovely Azaleas, your garden lacks some of the finest ornamental plants it is possible to grow in temperate and cold climates.

By utilizing all our horticultural skill in modern mass production methods, we now have thousands of beautiful blooming-size plants ready for you at new low prices. They average 1 to 1½ feet and are the ideal size for safe transporting and transplanting this fall. Ultimate height is from 3 to 4 feet.

SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY OFFER

6 Azalea Mollis for \$6.75

Assorted colors (Regular value \$8.10)



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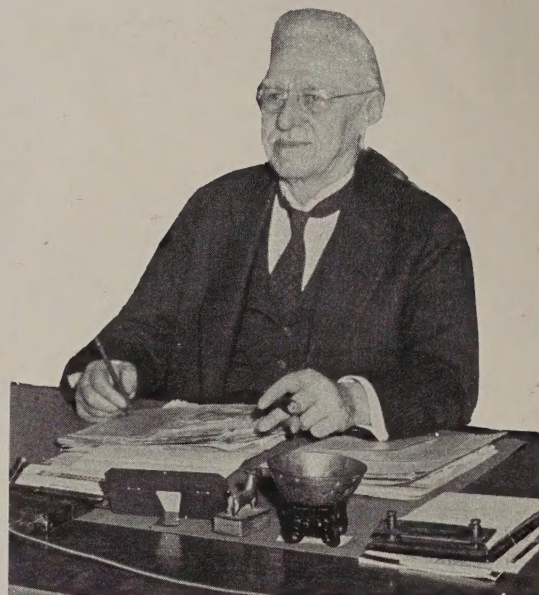
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AS I READ the newspapers these days and find every page filled with war activity on the battlefield and on the assembly line, I am reminded of the interesting correspondence of George Washington during the Revolutionary War. Engrossed as he was with the great job of winning the war of independence, he nevertheless found time to keep in close touch with the activities on his farm and his gardens at Mt. Vernon. Nor was Thomas Jefferson too busy to be interested in the flowers that bloomed at Monticello. This prompts me to say that now more than ever we need roses and all the other things that grow in gardens.

As I looked out over the fields the other day and saw the men cultivating and weeding, I was reminded that Bobbink & Atkins play a real part in this New Jersey community. We employ hundreds of men and women, pay large taxes, and thereby contribute to the nation's wealth. Our trees and plants do not take away one iota from the necessary war materials. And garden makers need our products as a source of spiritual strength.

L. C. Bobbink



Fall is the Ideal Time to Plant

ROSES, evergreens, flowering shrubs and perennials are fast approaching the dormant stage. Taking a leaf out of the great book of nature, we have learned that plants moved at this time are easily handled without checking their growth. Naturally, well-prepared soil and carefully dug holes are important to successful planting. Plants set out now are able to anchor their roots and get off to a good start next spring. Cool weather conditions and workable soil are additional factors to aid fall planting.

Then, too, there are so many things to do in the garden in the spring that every bit of fall planting means time and energy saved for spring garden work.

As you turn the pages of this catalogue, you will be amazed at the great variety of plants that can be set out this fall—roses, of course, and the lovely hybrid azaleas and rhododendrons. Flowering shrubs, perennials, evergreens and numerous other useful plants that Bobbink & Atkins have been producing for nearly fifty years are also available for fall planting to help make America more beautiful and healthful.





Many of our friends will recognize this view of our thoroughly practical garden featuring Roses and Azaleas at the Philadelphia Flower Show, March 1942. For more than 20 years, Bobbink & Atkins have exhibited their plants in gardens at the great

New York, Boston, and Philadelphia Flower Shows. Our effort shall always be to show the proper use of suitable plants and their arrangement in large and modest size gardens of every type. Write or tell us of your garden problems.

Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses for Fall Planting

FROM the long list of thousands of varieties we and others have brought into commerce over a period of many years, you will find in this section only those that have survived the test for plant-vigor and blooming habits in most parts of the United States.

These Roses give beautiful, long-stemmed, fragrant flowers over a very long season. Planted in the fall, they produce their finest blooms the first year in early summer and continue throughout the season. Practically all everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses are fragrant at some time of the day. Most of them are reliably hardy all over the United States if protected in winter as recommended on the cultural instructions that accompany each shipment.

We have purposely omitted reference to comparative plant-vigor because practically all of them are found depend-

able under the widest range of soil and climatic conditions.

Planting Directions: Average 15 to 18 inches apart each way. This does not mean that Hybrid Tea Roses must be planted in a bed by themselves. It is true that when they are planted in quantities, then one should keep them together to simplify maintenance. However, delightful effects are obtained by planting groups of 3 to 5 near the edges of shrubbery borders, or wherever it may be suitable for you to enjoy the lovely Roses even though it may be in partial shade.

Most of the tested varieties in this section will thrive in an ordinary garden soil capable of growing other deciduous plants.

Heights: Where letter follows name, D indicates 1 to 1½ feet; T, 3 feet and over. All others are average height, 2 to 2½ feet.

AMI QUINARD. T. Red. Tall, branching plants with medium-sized, semi-double flowers of deep velvety crimson; strong, lasting fragrance. 17 petals. \$1 each.

AUTUMN. Bicolor. Compact, very double flowers of burnt-orange streaked with red; moderately fragrant. Close-growing, upright plants with heavy foliage. Known for superb fall bloom. 70 petals. 85 cts. each.

BARCELONA. Red. Large, full, cup-shaped flowers of velvety black-crimson. Plants are vigorous and upright growing. Highly fragrant blooms are consistently and continuously produced. 75 petals. \$1 each.

BETTER TIMES. Pat. 23. Cerise. Long crimson buds opening into large, double, fragrant, brilliant cerise-red flowers on long stems. Excellent for cutting. Free flowering. 40 petals. \$1 each.

BETTY UPRICHARD. T. Bicolor. Semi-double, delicate salmon-pink flowers, with a coppery carmine reverse; verberna fragrance. Tall, branching plants. 14 petals. 85 cts. each.

CALEDONIA. White. Large, very double, high-centered flower of pure white, borne singly on long, strong stem. Average plant with leathery, dark green foliage. One of the best white Roses, with flowers of fine form freely produced. 25 petals. 85 cts. each.

CHARLES E. SHEA. Pink. Nicely formed Rose of clear coral-pink. This is an old English Rose which has been neglected for a long time and should be given a trial. Splendid healthy plants with quantities of bloom. \$1.25 each.

CHARLES K. DOUGLAS. T. Red. Large, double, fragrant flowers of flaming scarlet, flushed velvety crimson. This is one of the indispensable garden Roses which produces attractive flowers all through the season. Plants are extra good, with healthy foliage. 24 petals. 85 cts. each.

CHATEAU DE CLOS VOUGEOT. Red. Large, double flowers of bright velvety red, overlaid dark garnet. Alluring fragrance. Low sprawling plants—bloom freely. 75 petals. \$1 each.

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Red. Bright velvety scarlet-red flowers of good form. Its golden stamens appear as the bloom opens. Damask fragrance. Vigorous, upright grower, free flowering, and does not appear to be troubled by heat. 35 petals. \$1 each.

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. T. Bicolor. Cupped flowers of fiery copper inside and rich gold on the reverse. Enticing raspberry fragrance. Vigorous plants. 50 petals. \$1 each.

CYNTHIA. Red. A sturdy Rose welcomed by rosarians as an improved Charles P. Kilham. The attractive buds, good for cutting, open to splendid double blooms of a glowing rich, Oriental red color. Free flowering in habit and attractive in color. 85 cts. each.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Yellow. Graceful, tapering buds of golden orange and saffron open to sweetly fragrant flowers of great size and substance. Vigorous, free-blooming plant. A lovely old Rose with delicious Tea fragrance. 17 petals. 85 cts. each.

DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Bicolor. Spectacular double flowers of cinnamon-peach color; very fragrant. Strong, upright plants with attractive foliage. One of the newer Roses; is becoming quite a favorite. The autumn bloom is really fine. 35 petals. \$1 each.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Pink. Shapely, two-toned pink flowers produced in great abundance. Color is coppery rose outside and soft salmon-pink inside. Mildly fragrant. Plants branch freely and produce quantities of flowers. 40 petals. 85 cts. each.

EDITOR McFARLAND. Pink. Perfectly formed fragrant flowers of clear brilliant pink, with strong stems for cutting. One of the longest-lasting cut-flowers we have. Plants are healthy and bloom freely. 30 petals. \$1 each.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Red. Large crimson flowers with velvety finish and especially fine fragrance. Branching plants with very large, healthy foliage. We consider it the finest red Rose in the world. The very large, fragrant flowers are superb when in the half-open state. Has the largest leaves among the Hybrid Tea Roses, and is unusually healthy. 35 petals. 85 cts. each.



FIRE CHIEF
\$1.25 each

SPECIAL OFFER V-5

4 Choice New Everblooming
Roses.

2 Golden Yellows
and 2 Velvety Reds for a lovely
color combination

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Vivid scar-
let-red.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Rich
golden yellow.

PHYLLIS GOLD. Deep yellow, edged
carmine.

FIRE CHIEF. Rich scarlet.

1 OF EACH FOR **\$3.50**
(Regular value \$4.10) **NET**

3 OF EACH,
TOTAL OF 12, for **\$11.50**
NET



MRS. PIERRE S. du PONT. 85 cts. each

FIRE CHIEF. New. (Jacobus and Bobbink & Atkins, 1942.) Red. Full-petaled, medium-sized but well-formed blooms and buds. An unusually rich scarlet color similar to Poinsettia but the plant grows bushier and produces plenty of good blooms all through hot summer months. A valuable addition to our list of real good red garden Roses. 45 petals. \$1.25 each.

GOLDEN DAWN. Yellow. Glorious, double flowers of lemon-yellow, nicely formed and deliciously fragrant. Spreading plants with attractive foliage. One of the healthiest plants we have in the garden, with attractive foliage. 45 petals. 85 cts. each.

GOLDEN FRILLS. Yellow. Long-pointed buds opening to large, cupped, rich golden yellow flowers, quite double and most fragrant. Plants are tall, bushy, and free blooming. We highly recommend this Rose. 35 petals. \$1 each.

GOLDEN RAPTURE. Yellow. Large, high-centered flower of golden yellow, with an old-Rose fragrance. Upright plants with large, glossy foliage. A nicely formed flower of clear color. \$1 each.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ. Red. A large, bushy, shrub-like plant with medium-sized double blooms of brilliant crimson, velvety and fragrant. This grand old shrub yields quantities of flowers from early summer until frost. 33 petals. 85 cts. each.

HEINRICH WENDLAND. Bicolor. Fragrant flowers of an unfading nasturtium-red, reverse deep golden yellow. A spectacular Rose, suitable for exhibition and highly recommended. 100 petals. 85 cts. each.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE. Pink. Large, perfectly formed flowers of shining rose-pink, shading lighter on reverse of petals; fragrant. Good plants. One of the finest pinks. Strong growing, free flowering, and trouble-free. A most reliable Rose. 45 petals. 85 cts. each.

JOANNA HILL. Yellow. Pointed buds and deep creamy white flowers tinged with salmon and ochre-yellow; moderately fragrant. Long, strong stems. Good for cutting—not a free bloomer. 40 petals. 85 cts. each.

KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA. White. Creamy buds. Perfect, snow-white blooms tinted lemon-yellow at center; fragrant. Medium upright growth. 99 petals. 85 cts. each.

LA FRANCE. Pink. Bright pink flowers with curled petals gleaming with silvery tints; intensely fragrant. The first Hybrid Tea Rose, La France has long held an esteemed place among rosarians. Its truly delightful fragrance and beauty are most enjoyable. 60 petals. \$1 each.

LADY ALICE STANLEY. Pink. Very large silvery pink flowers; sweetly fragrant. Deeply veined foliage. Thirty years old and is still one of the best garden Roses. 75 petals. 85 cts. each.

MARCIA STANHOPE. White. A large, perfectly formed, semi-double pure white Rose with magnificent golden stamens showing through. Very fragrant. 25 petals. \$1 each.

MARGARET ANNE BAXTER. White. Large, artistic buds and fragrant, snow-white flowers, sometimes tinted a soft-fleshed-pink. A fine plant yielding pretty flowers. Among the best of white Roses. 75 to 100 petals. \$1 each.

MARGARET McGREDY. Red. Double, cup-shaped flowers open orange-scarlet, turning a peculiar shade of carmine-rose. Blooms constantly. 30 petals. 85 cts. each.



PRESIDENT MACIA. \$1.25 each

McGREDY'S SCARLET. Red. Large, loosely formed, vivid rose-red flowers. Plants are healthy and large. This Rose is not scarlet—it is red, and one of the best. Very slight Tea fragrance. Blooms almost continually. 35 petals. 85 cts. each.

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Yellow. Unfading canary-yellow flower of excellent form with a mass of gold anthers glorifying the center of the flower. Plants vigorous and free blooming, with dark, glossy, holly-like foliage. A fine cup-shaped Rose of lovely, clean color. 25 petals. \$1 each.

MISS ROWENA THOM. Pink. A big Rose on a big plant. Enormous buds open to great flowers of fiery rose shaded with mauve; fragrant. A splendid plant inherited from its mother, Radiance. 55 petals. 85 cts. each.

MME. BUTTERFLY. Pink. Perfectly formed light pink flowers faintly tinted with gold. Richly perfumed. A beautiful Rose and a perfect cut-flower. 30 petals. 85 cts. each.

MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD. Bicolor. Long, slender buds of nasturtium-orange opening to sweetly fragrant flowers of nasturtium-buff, with a hint of pale pink at the petal edges. This beautiful Rose has become popular all over the country. An excellent flower for exhibition purposes. 28 petals. \$1 each.

MME. JULES BOUCHE. White. Perfectly formed, long-pointed buds and high-centered flowers of pure white with a slight pink tint in the center at first; moderately fragrant. Healthy plants, always in bloom. Many rosarians believe this to be the finest white Rose. 34 petals. 85 cts. each.

MME. LEON PAIN. Pink. Lovely double, soft flesh-pink flowers of excellent form; moderately fragrant. Plants medium in height. One of the oldest Roses, yet we know of no other Rose that can outflower it, outlive it, or compare with its lovely clean color. It never fails. 43 petals. 85 cts. each.

MRS. AARON WARD. D. Yellow. Tidy-shaped little buds of golden buff. Attractive, double, tawny gold and pink flowers; moderately fragrant. Low-growing. 50 petals. 85 cts. each.

MRS. CHARLES BELL. T. Pink. A sport of Red Radiance, with fragrant flowers of similar form but of an exquisite delicate shell-pink coloring. The only Rose of this color. 27 petals. 85 cts. each.

The "RADIANCE" Collection



RED RADIANCE. 85 cts. each

SPECIAL OFFER V-8

The world's standard for judging growth and bloom habits of other Roses is still the reliable Radiance. Here we have chosen others of very similar habit. For extreme winter and summer hardiness, and for garden performance and floriferousness, the varieties in this collection are hard to equal.

BARCELONA. Very dark velvety red.

GOLDEN DAWN. Lemon-yellow.

MARGARET McGREDY. Orange-scarlet, opening carmine-yellow.

MISS ROWENA THOM. Fiery rose.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. Flaming scarlet and yellow.

MRS. E. P. THOM. Pure unfading yellow.

RADIANCE. Two-toned pink.

RED RADIANCE. Deep red.

8 MOST VIGOROUS ROSES . . . FOR \$5.45 NET
(Regular value \$6.95)



PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. 85 cts. each

MRS. ERSKINE PEMBROKE THOM. Yellow. Pure, unfading, fragrant yellow flowers of fine form. Beautiful growth. Very hardy. One of the best yellows. 43 petals. 85 cts. each.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Yellow. Nicely formed buds and double flowers of rich red-gold, almost orange in the depths of petals; spicy fragrance. Flowers resemble Ophelia in shape. A yellow Rose which blooms all the time and supplies good flowers. The plants are bushy and the glossy foliage is attractive. Highly recommended. 42 petals. 85 cts. each.

MRS. SAM McGREDY. Bicolor. Color is scarlet-orange, changing to copper as the blooms mature; delicately perfumed. Branching plants with red canes and beautiful bronzy foliage. One of the most beautiful Roses grown, and certainly a good-looking plant. 40 petals. 85 cts. each.

OPHELIA. Pink. Nicely formed, creamy white flowers with pale pink stains. A perfect cut-flower. We recommend this beloved old-timer. Should be in every Rose-bed. 28 petals. 85 cts. each.

PHYLLIS GOLD. Yellow. Nicely shaped buds of yellow with tints of red open to large, fragrant, high-pointed flowers of deep golden yellow. Petals of great substance hold their color well. A strong, upright grower with good foliage. 25 petals. \$1 each.

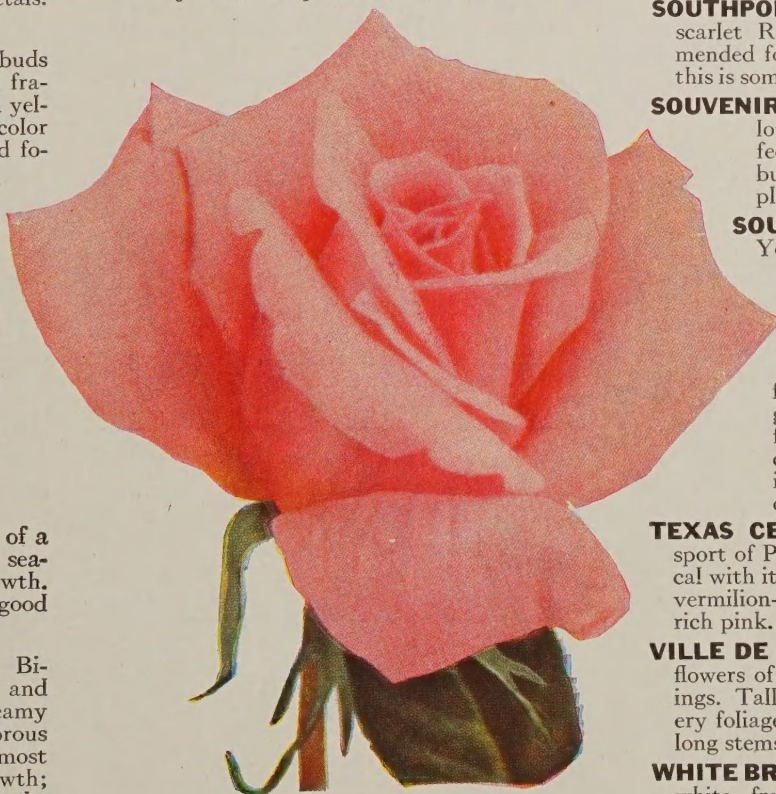
PICTURE. Pink. Splendidly formed, medium-sized flowers of velvety rose-pink, the petals pleasingly reflexed. Well named, as both form and color are very lovely. A fine cutting Rose; unusually free blooming. 34 petals. \$1 each.

PINK DAWN. Pink. A handsome deep rose-pink flower, opening to lively pink with an orange base; sweetly fragrant. Vigorous, upright habit. One of the best of the modern pink Roses. 60 petals. \$1 each.

POINSETTIA. Red. Semi-double flowers of a luminous, rich scarlet produced freely all season on vigorous plants of fairly tall growth. Rich Tea fragrance. A fine color and a good grower. 28 petals. \$1 each.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. T. Bicolor. Large flowers of flaming scarlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. Vigorous plants with flowers on 2-foot stems. A most satisfactory garden Rose. Unusual growth; free-blooming, with rich fragrance. 25 petals. 85 cts. each.

PRESIDENT MACIA. Pink. Imagine the longest rosebud you ever saw, of a lovely shade of pink, marked with heavy veins of darker pink, and each of the perfect buds on a splendid stem for cutting. If the buds never opened you would feel that you had a prize, but they do open—to great billowy blooms nearly 6 inches across. The face of the petals is pale flesh, warmed with a yellow flush toward the base, the reverse the rich pink of the buds. Fruity scent. 25 petals. \$1.25 each.



PINK DAWN, \$1 each

QUEENSLAND BEAUTY. Pink. An Australian sport of the well-known Golden Dawn, with the same strong, bronzy foliage and habit of growth. Blooms large, coppery pink. 100 petals. \$1 each.

RADIANCE. Pink. Globular, cupped flowers of two-toned pink, light silvery tone inside and deeper on outside. Vigorous, free blooming. The standard pink Rose of today. Deliciously fragrant. 23 petals. 85 cts. each.

RED RADIANCE. Red. A deep red sport of Radiance and exactly like its parent in everything but color; fragrant. 23 petals. 85 cts. each.

SNOWBIRD. White. Pure white, perfectly formed, full-petaled blooms come singly and in clusters of 3 or 4, on neat, compact, healthy plants. Delightfully fragrant. \$1 each.

SOEUR THERESE. Yellow. Exquisite buds and semi-double, cupped flowers of golden yellow, with edges of petals spotted madder-carmine. Sweetbrier fragrance. Strong growth, good foliage. A stalwart Rose—always dependable. 25 petals. \$1 each.

SOUTHPORT. Red. A brilliant, unshaded scarlet Rose, with fine Tea scent. Recommended for spectacular effect. A solid bed of this is something to behold. 18 petals. \$1 each.

SOUVENIR DE CLAUDIUS PERNET. Yellow. Unfading yellow flowers of perfect form. Sometimes "balls" in June, but opens to perfection in fall. Strong plants. 85 cts. each.

SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT. Yellow. Long, tapering, deep golden yellow buds slowly unfold to broad, cream-colored blooms of heavy texture and delicious fragrance. 30 petals. \$1 each.

TALISMAN. Bicolor. Variable flowers ranging from rich scarlet and gold to deep rose and pale yellow; fragrant. One of the earlier multi-colored Roses. In most localities it yields good flowers and is good for cutting. 25 petals. 85 cts. each.

TEXAS CENTENNIAL. Pat. 162. Red. A sport of President Herbert Hoover and identical with its parent in every way except color—vermillion-red when first opening, aging a deep rich pink. 34 petals. 85 cts. each.

VILLE DE PARIS. T. Yellow. Finely formed flowers of clear yellow, without tints or shadings. Tall wiry plants, with small dark, leathery foliage. One of the few yellow Roses with long stems for cutting. 27 petals. 85 cts. each.

WHITE BRIARCLIFF. Pat. 108. White. Pure white, fragrant, double blooms. Prolific. 40 petals. \$1 each.

Hardy Rambler Roses

(Blooms in large clusters)

WHILE the larger-flowered Climbing Roses seem to be far more popular at present than the true Ramblers, nevertheless we ask you not to forget the very definite place these Ramblers have in any Rose-planting. We do not like to see them overlooked because, in our opinion, there is nothing finer than masses of charming clustered Ramblers producing the striking color effects that only Rambler Roses can give you. Then, again, the blooming season of most of these varieties comes after the main burst of bloom on the Large-flowered Climbers. We shall never be able to do without Bloomfield Courage,

Ghislaine de Feligonde, Minnehaha, Sanders' White, and that brilliant new red, Chevy Chase. It is true that some of the Ramblers are susceptible to mildew, but that is not serious since we have eliminated many of those.

Pruning of Ramblers: Cut out, in August or September, the canes which have flowered, and train up young canes produced from base.

The letters at the end of descriptions represent the blooming period in the vicinity of New York City: E., from May 25 to June 3; MS., from June 4 to 12; and L., after June 12.

BLOOMFIELD COURAGE. R. A strong-growing, many-caned Rambler to 20 feet or more. The plant is covered in late May and early June with myriads of small single flowers of blackish crimson surrounding white eyes, and is one of the most spectacular of all Climbing Roses. If not pruned after blooming, the plants will bear heavy crops of brilliant little red berries lasting well into winter, a truly beautiful picture after the foliage has fallen. \$1 each.

CHEVY CHASE. R. (N. J. Hansen, 1939.) Pat. 443. Red. To those who desire color in masses there is nothing to compete with a Rambler Rose, and this history-making Rose is the finest of the great Rambler family. Bloom lasts for several weeks during May and June in this section, the rich crimson color changing slowly with age but never becoming objectionable. The result is a glorious shading of red for weeks and a good-looking plant from then until frost. An added feature is a pleasing mild fragrance. The numerous canes will cover a large area, making it ideal for fences, walls or buildings. \$1.50 each.

DOROTHY PERKINS. R. Pink. Double pink flowers are borne in huge trusses. An excellent bank-cover. It is one of the loveliest of all Climbers when in full bloom, and worthy in spite of its mildew. L. 85 cts. each.

EVANGELINE. R. Pink. One of the strongest-growing Climbers with excellent glossy foliage. Soft pink, single flowers in enormous clusters. Unforgettable fragrance. MS. and L. \$1 each.

FRANCOIS GUILLOT. R. White. Withstood the rigorous winter of 1933. Glossy foliage. Good-sized, double white flowers. Strong grower. MS. \$1 each.

GHISLAINE DE FELIGONDE. R. This almost forgotten Climber is one of the nicest of the restrained-growth Ramblers. When well cared for it will make 8 to 10-foot almost thornless canes which bear heavy crops of shapely rich yellow buds which slowly change to creamy white when fully open. Flowers are borne in large phlox-like clusters. If not pruned after the June bloom and if well fed then, it will bloom right through the season. Try it on a pillar, fence, or trellis or let it ramble over a wall. MS. and L. \$1 each.

MINNEHAHA. R. Pink. Bright pink rosette-like flowers borne in clusters on stems of average length. Very hardy. Foliage small, glossy, dark green and free from mildew. L. \$1 each.

SANDERS' WHITE. R. White. Small, glistening white blooms of double rosette form, sweetly perfumed, borne in clusters on a strong, free-blooming plant which is both healthy and hardy. MS. \$1 each.

THE SIZE AND QUALITY OF ALL B. & A. ROSES. We furnish none but the best top-grade, 2-year, nursery-grown Rose plants. They are in perfect health due to watchful and loving care throughout their nursery life. The best guarantee we know of is the plants themselves, the integrity of the producer, and his readiness to make fair, liberal adjustment whenever called upon.

Trailing Roses

The Trailers are Climbing Roses with slender, pliable canes enabling them to lie close to the ground. Their shiny foliage and beautiful flowers make these Roses ideal covers for banks, hillsides, and waste places.

CARPET OF GOLD. LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) Yellow. A creeping or trailing plant running close to the ground and covering itself with brilliant yellow, double, fragrant flowers 2 to 3 inches across. Ideal for banks. Patent pending. \$1 each.

CORAL CREEPER. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Apricot. Deep red buds open a lovely shade of apricot-orange, fading to light pink. Straight, upright stems support large, semi-double flowers. Patent pending. \$1 each.

CREEPING EVERBLOOM. Sub-zero LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) Red. Fragrant, double red flowers almost 4 inches in diameter, in clusters on canes 3 feet long which lie on the ground. If well grown may reach 10 feet. Pinned down it will take root. Blooms freely through summer and fall. Patent pending. About 30 petals. \$1.50 each. May delivery.

EVERGREEN GEM. R. White. One of the oldest Wichuraiana Climbers, generally used as a ground-cover because of its low, trailing habit. Small, double, white flowers borne in clusters. Almost evergreen foliage. 75 cts. each.

FREDERICK S. PECK. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pat. 419. Pink. Semi-double, deep grenadine-pink blooms with yellow tints in center appear singly and in clusters on slightly arched stems high above the attractive foliage. \$1 each.

LITTLE COMPTON CREEPER. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pink. Single, deep rose-pink blooms in large clusters cover the dark shiny foliage. If blooms are not removed, it will be covered in fall with yellow-orange to red hips. Patent pending. \$1 each.

MAX GRAF. HRug. Pink. Handsome foliage and sprays of large, single, shining pink flowers. Because of its foliage and extra hardness it is one of the best for covering exposed banks. Foliage 75% Rugosa. 60 cts. each, \$5 for 10.

RUGOSA REPENS ALBA (R. Pauli). (Species.) White. Fine trailer with hard, varnished foliage and big, snowy white flowers in clusters. Vigorous and long-lived. Foliage 75% Rugosa. 75 cts. each.

WICHURAIANA. (Species.) White. A matted creeper with glossy, almost evergreen, small, shiny foliage. Sprays of small, white, fragrant flowers. A good cover for banks. 60 cts. each, \$5 for 10.

Single Roses (Everblooming)

SIMILAR in growth and habit to the Hybrid Teas, the Singles contribute a light and airy grace to the Rose-bed, while their elegant buds are ideal for boutonnières. As subjects for cut-flower arrangements, they are unbeatable when cut in the bud and allowed to open indoors. Our appreciation of the value of this group and the increasing demand for the Single Roses has encouraged us to gather together and offer the largest collection of this type in the country.

Pruning and Planting Distance: Same as for Hybrid Teas.

CECIL. Yellow. Large, single flowers of buttercup-yellow. Bushy plants with healthy foliage. Undoubtedly the finest yellow single Rose. 5 petals. \$1 each.

DAINTY BESS. Pink. This already old favorite owes its popularity to its delightfully informal appearance, and the silvery salmon-pink petals, surrounding a maroon-colored center, are notched and fluted. 6 petals. 85 cts. each.

ELLEN WILLMOTT. Pink. The large petals are edged with rose, shading to ivory, with lemon at the base. The delightful delicate Dresden-china coloring gives a very charming and unique effect. Golden anthers and red stamens. 5 petals. \$1.25 each.

INNOCENCE. White. The large, flat flowers are of the purest crystalline white, and the wine-red stamens tipped with gold accentuate the freshness of this vigorous, hardy Single. 12 petals. \$1 each.

IRISH ELEGANCE. Shades of apricot and yellow. These gracefully waved flowers are continuous. A most popular variety. 5 petals. 85 cts. each.

IRISH FIREFLAME. Orange-crimson flowers shaded pink and gold; pleasingly fragrant. A profuse bloomer, fine for table decoration. 5 petals. 85 cts. each.

ISOBEL. Pink. Flowers open with bronzy tones and develop shades of flaming orange-pink. One of the largest and finest single Roses. 5 petals. 85 cts. each.

SIMPLICITY. Pure white blooms. Noted for the severe purity of its white flowers. 6 petals. \$1 each.

VESUVIUS. Red. Poppy-like flowers of fadeless, glowing fiery crimson. Vigorous, free-flowering plants of bushy habit. Light green foliage. 6 petals. \$1 each.

SPECIAL OFFER S-7

One each of the 7 Single
Roses marked (●) for

\$5.75
NET

(Regular Value \$6.80)

Novelties and Recent Roses...

PROVIDE NEW THRILLS FOR NEW ENTHUSIASTS

ROSE hybridists are ever at work endeavoring to produce new and better Roses. All Rose-lovers owe a debt of gratitude to these pioneers who are ever pushing on to new frontiers. New varieties should be considered the "spice" and "dessert" of Rose-growing. Standard kinds are the "entree," but when you know exactly what a Radiance or Etoile de Hollande or President Herbert Hoover will do in your garden, then there are greater thrills ahead when planting a Rose not only with a new name but with a new plant habit, and better form and color.

We know that most of our Novelties will be new acquaintances you will be glad to meet and keep.

APRICOT QUEEN. HT. (Howard & Smith, 1940.) *Pat. 464.* Apricot. Burnt-orange buds open to informal 4-inch blooms of coppery orange-pink with an orange base to petals; rich fruity fragrance. 45 petals. \$1.50 each.

BREAK O'DAY. Sub-zero HT. (The Brownells, 1939.) Apricot. A robust plant with large, double flowers—orange-apricot, shaded with lighter flesh tints; fragrant. Good foliage. In our gardens it is exceptional for its strong growth, its fragrance, and for its huge clusters of flowers. A bedding Rose of high merit. *Pat. pending.* 50 petals. \$1.50 each.

CALIFORNIA. HT. (Howard & Smith, 1940.) *Pat. 449.* Bicolor. Large, loose flowers of bronzy apricot with an iridescent sheen, reverse coppery pink; delicious fragrance. Healthy plants with attractive small foliage. 30 petals. \$1.50 each.

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. HT. (Armstrong Nurseries, 1941.) *Pat. 455.* Red. The color is warm red in the bud opening to cerise in hot weather and spectrum-red in cooler weather. Its long and pointed bud opens into a long-lasting, fragrant flower 3 or 4 inches in diameter. The plant is extremely vigorous, its foliage deep green and highly resistant to mildew. \$1.50 each.

COUNTESS VANDAL. HT. (M. Leenders & Co., 1932.) *Pat. 38.* Bicolor. Long-pointed bud and a high-centered fragrant flower of coppery bronze, suffused with soft gold, developing added beauty during its long life. 30 petals. \$1 each.

CRIMSON GLORY. HT. (W. Kordes Sons, 1935.) *Pat. 105.* Red. A beautiful crimson flower shaded deep red and mellowed by a velvety nap. Wonderful fragrance. Borne continuously on low healthy plants. 30 petals. \$1.25 each.

DAYLIGHT. HT. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Peach. Very large, double fragrant flowers of light peach color emerging from lovely buds. Center petals are soft satiny pink, the outer ones creamy white. They reflex lightly, making a perfect exhibition flower—produced on a long stem. Plants are strong, healthy, with attractive bronzy foliage, and have produced more flowers than we usually expect from such a double Rose. *Propagation rights reserved.* 60 petals. Awarded Cert. of Merit, A.R.S. \$1.50 each.

ECLIPSE. HT. (J. H. Nicolas, 1936.) *Pat. 172.* Yellow. The very long, slender, and notably elegant yellow buds open to loose flowers with 25 to 30 golden yellow petals which hold their color well. Fragrant. \$1 each.

GLOAMING. HT. (J. H. Nicolas, 1935.) *Pat. 137.* Pink. Large buds of fawn-orange; open flowers a peculiar shade of pink, overlaid with salmon; very fragrant. Extra-strong; branching. 45 petals. \$1 each.

GOLDEN FRILLS. HT. (Bobbink & Atkins, 1936.) Long-pointed buds opening to large, cupped, rich golden yellow flowers, quite double and most fragrant. Plants are tall, bushy, and free blooming. 35 petals. \$1 each.

GRANDE DUCHESSE CHARLOTTE. HT. (Ketten Bros., 1939.) This is one of the two All-America Rose Selections for 1942-1943. It provides us with a new shade of red. The long, streamlined buds are rich claret color, gradually opening to a lovely begonia-rose. 25 petals form a graceful and artistic flower. *Propagation rights reserved.* \$1.50 each.

HEART'S DESIRE. HT. (Howard & Smith, 1942.) *Pat. 501.* Crimson; intensely fragrant, large, double flowers on long stems. Dark green, leathery foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each.

HECTOR DEANE. HT. (S. McGredy & Son, 1938.) *Pat. 361.* Bicolor. Long-pointed crimson buds, stained orange, open to informal blooms of deep satiny pink, warmed with an orange base to each petal. It is richly fragrant with real old-Rose perfume and is one of the sweetest Roses in gardens today. The plants are strong, healthy and are generous bloomers all season. 30 petals. \$1.25 each.

LILY PONS. HT. (The Brownells, 1938.) *Pat. 420.* Yellow. Long-pointed buds open to large, very double, fragrant flowers; the center is deep yellow shading out to palest yellow and white. This Rose is vigorous, with handsome foliage and profuse flowers which at times reach exhibition size and shape. It is a bedding Rose well worth acquiring, and, like other Brownell Roses, it will improve with age. 50 petals. \$1.50 each.

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. HT. *Pat. 537.* (J. H. Nicolas, 1941.) A well-loved radio name known in homes the country over now makes a triumphal appearance in our Rose-gardens. An All-America Selection for 1943, this radiant newcomer will shed its glowing light in your garden all season. Buds deep coral-pink with gold base, opening to high-centered, double, clear pink flowers. Foliage smooth, dark and leathery. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.

McGREDDY'S SUNSET. HT. (S. McGredy & Son, 1936.) *Pat. 317.* Orange. Saffron blooms touched with orange and rich scarlet; sweet, fresh fragrance. Resists sun, hot weather, and disease. 30 petals. \$1.25 each.

McGREDDY'S TRIUMPH. HT. (S. McGredy & Son, 1936.) *Pat. 190.* Bicolor. Geranium-red flushed orange, gradually deepening to rich orange at base. Flowers large, full, fragrant, of good shape. \$1.25 each.

MME. CHARLES MALLERIN. HT. (C. Mallerin, 1939.) *Pat. 409.* Orange-flame. Salmon-orange buds open to flaming orange blooms suffused with scarlet. Retains its rich color. \$1.50 each.

MME. COCHET-COCHET. HT. (C. Mallerin, 1934.) *Pat. 129.* Pink. Long-pointed, coppery pink buds, flushed with orange, open to fragrant, cupped flowers of soft salmon-pink, glistening with a satiny sheen. 20 to 40 petals. \$1 each.

MME. HENRI GUILLOT. HT. (C. Mallerin, 1937.) *Pat. 337.* Watermelon-pink. Unique urn-shaped buds open to huge blooms of watermelon-pink formed like camellias. Sweetly fragrant. Splendid plants with waxy foliage. 25 petals. \$1.25 each.

R. M. S. QUEEN MARY. HT. (H. A. Verschuren, 1937.) *Pat. 249.* Pink. A glorious blending of rich glowing salmon and pink with an orange base, the whole effect being a lovely warm pink. Delicately perfumed. 40 petals. \$1.25 each.

SANTA ANITA. HT. (F. H. Howard, 1940.) Deep pink. This splendid Rose has one fault, its fragrance doesn't amount to anything, but the deep pink blooms are near perfection in form and the spreading plants really bloom recklessly all during the hot weather. *Propagation rights reserved.* 20 petals. \$1.25 each.

SIGNORA. HT. (D. Aicardi, 1934.) *Pat. 201.* Bicolor. Long bud, a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarin. Fine fragrant blooms for cutting. 35 petals. \$1 each.

SUNTAN. HT. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Yellow. Very large, double, orange-yellow flowers opening to clear yellow. Unusually free blooming. *Propagation rights reserved.* 35 petals. \$1.50 each.

THE CHIEF. HT. (W. E. Lammerts, 1940.) *Pat. 456.* Deep pink. Unusually long buds of deep pink shaded with copper, open to large deep rose-pink flowers of informal shape. Strongly fragrant. 35 petals. \$1.25 each.

WARRAWEE. HT. (Mrs. H. C. Fitzhardinge, 1934.) *Pat. 140.* Pink. Exquisite shade of pale pink with a slightly darker reverse. There are about 30 petals and the bloom resembles a glorified Mme. Butterfly. Clove fragrance. \$1 each.

WILL ROGERS. HT. (Howard & Smith, 1936.) *Pat. 256.* Red. The 3-inch open flowers are packed with a large number of short and twisted petals of velvety black-crimson. Wonderful old-time fragrance. 65 petals. \$1 each.



A Bed
of Break o'Day
Roses
\$1.50 each

See page
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Offer
of 12 Novelty
Everblooming
Roses

12 Novelty Everblooming ROSES

We consider these twelve varieties the cream of recent Rose introductions. Four of them won All-America honors in 1941 and 1942 when the foremost judges of the All-America Rose Selection Committee scored them highest in trial gardens throughout the United States. And we feel the others are equally worthy of a prominent place in every Rose-garden.

Prior to the war, we depended largely on European hybridizers for new and better Roses. But now we find, for instance, in this special group of twelve, there are eight of the most beautiful Roses ever produced to prove the resourcefulness of American Rose hybridizers. We believe their unusual colors and fragrance will please you beyond your fondest expectations.



CALIFORNIA. \$1.50 each

CALIFORNIA. Bronzy apricot.....	\$1 50
COUNTESS VANDAL. Coppery bronze and pink.....	1 00
CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. Warm red opening to cerise.....	1 50
CRIMSON GLORY. Deep velvety crimson.....	1 25
DAYLIGHT. Peach color and satiny pink.....	1 50
HEART'S DESIRE. Crimson-red.....	1 50
GRANDE DUCHESSE CHARLOTTE. Oriental red.....	1 50
MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. Deep coral-pink.....	1 50
McGREDDY'S SUNSET. Saffron and orange.....	1 25
SUNTAN. Orange-yellow, non-fading.....	1 50
WILL ROGERS. Velvety blackish crimson.....	1 00
WARRAWEE. Two-toned pink.....	1 00

Regular value.....\$16 00

**SPECIAL OFFER V-2 \$14.25
NET**



MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. \$1.50 each



GRANDE DUCHESSE CHARLOTTE. \$1.50 each



HEART'S DESIRE. \$1.50 each

Floribunda Roses (Large-flowered Polyanthas)

All of these Roses are 75 cts. each, unless otherwise noted, less quantity discount on page 11

PRACTICALLY all of the varieties under this heading may be considered in the new classification called Floribunda Roses.

The word "Floribunda" is used to refer to bush Roses producing clusters of blooms without interruption from early summer until late frosts. They were formerly referred to as "bedding roses" for mass color effect rather than for specimen blooms.

The Floribunda class, therefore, includes new as well as old

varieties of large-flowered or Hybrid Polyanthas, and possibly a few Hybrid Teas. They are all very easy to grow and exceptionally hardy.

Planting Distance: Average 15 to 18 inches.

Height: Average 24 to 30 inches.

Pruning: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.



ELSE POULSEN. 75 cts. each

ANNE POULSEN. (S. Poulsen, 1935.) *Pat.* 182. Red. A shrubby plant with very large, almost single flowers of brilliant scarlet-crimson, produced constantly through the season.

BABY CHATEAU. (W. Kordes Sons, 1936.) Red. Large, semi-double flower-clusters of velvety dark red, somewhat like the Hybrid Tea, Chateau de Clos Vougeot.

BELVEDERE. Red. Flower large, full, dark red with velvety shading. Dwarf; free bloomer till frost. A descendant of two famous Roses, Chateau de Clos Vougeot and the little red Polyantha, Eblouissant. Belvedere has inherited the best qualities of both.

BETTY PRIOR. (D. Prior & Son, 1935.) *Pat.* 340. Pink. Outside of petals dark carmine, inside several shades lighter. Borne in large clusters on strong stems. 5 petals. 85 cts. each.

CHARMAINE. Pink. A most pleasing shade of the cleanest unfading pink. Flowers large, double, full, and free, borne on long, arching stems. Foliage bright glossy green, almost thornless. We are very fond of this lovely Rose. \$1 each.

CHEERIO. *New.* Clear mallow-pink, shading to Tyrian rose. A real deep pink Floribunda that blooms abundantly, even in hot weather. \$1 each.

DAGMAR SPATH (WHITE LAFAYETTE). White. Large trusses of pure white flowers produced freely all summer. A sport of Lafayette and a good bedding Rose.

DONALD PRIOR. (D. Prior & Son, 1934.) *Pat.* 377. Red. Large clusters of red flowers on branching plants about 1½ feet high. Gives off a Damask fragrance. A continuous bloomer. 8 to 10 petals. 85 cts. each.

ELSE POULSEN. Pink. Single, bright rose-pink flowers of large size from erect, very thrifty plants. One of the new, extra-large-flowering Polyanthas. 3 feet.

GRUSS AN AACHEN. Blush. Orange-red and yellow buds, and large, light flesh-pink and salmon-yellow flowers, fading lighter. A fine distinct bedding type, much like a Hybrid Tea.

PINK GRUSS AN AACHEN. Pink. Large, full flowers of glowing salmon-pink.

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. Red. Sturdy, upright plants grow 2½ to 3 feet. Glowing red blooms, deeply suffused a vivid crimson. Fine bedding Rose; free flowering.

JOHANNA TANTAU. White. Perfect little buds of the Sweetheart type open to very double, large, fragrant flowers. Color is soft creamy white with just a hint of pink in the center. A sprawly plant with small, shiny foliage. \$1 each.

LAFAYETTE. Red. Large, semi-double light cherry-crimson blooms which fade slightly.

MRS. R. M. FINCH. Pink. Loosely double, 2-inch flowers in huge clusters. Opening color is clear pink changing to blush, then white, so that a cluster shows all stages. Strong bushy plants 2½ to 3 feet tall and as broad. Blooms continuously.

RED VELVET. *New.* Vivid crimson, semi-double blooms produced in great profusion continuously. \$1 each.

SALMON SPRAY. Salmon. Rich salmon-pink, reverse of petals carmine. Tall-growing; long-stemmed sprays.

SNOWBANK. *Pat.* 279. Semi-double. The open flowers are flesh-white with a cream suffusion. 85 cts. each.

SUNMIST. *New.* Clear light sulphur-yellow. Fills the long-felt need for a good yellow Floribunda. \$1 each.

WORLD'S FAIR. Poly. Floribunda. (W. Kordes Sons, 1938.) *Pat.* 362. Red. Large clusters of velvety black-scarlet flowers, nearly 4 inches across, with 18 to 20 petals; fragrant. Hardy. \$1 each.

Three Popular China or Bengal Roses

Similar to Polyanthas in growth and bloom habit

HOFGARTNER KALB. Pink. Large, full, bright salmon-pink flowers with yellow centers, outer petals shaded red; fragrant. Might be termed a pink Gruss an Teplitz.

HERMOSA. Pink. Medium-sized, soft pink, double flowers. Good healthy, bushy plants up to 2 feet. This is a favorite of three generations. 35 petals.

FABVIER. Bright crimson, semi-double flowers. The brightest of all the Chinas. Never "blues." Low bush with wiry stems and ruddy foliage. 20 petals.

Special Offer V-7

7 FLORIBUNDA ROSES \$4.65
marked • for **NET**
(Regular value \$5.75)

Special Offer V-14

14 FLORIBUNDA ROSES \$8.75
for **NET**
2 each of those marked •



Belvedere
75 cts. each

Hybrid Perpetual Roses

All of these Roses are \$1 each, except where noted, less quantity discount on page 11

PERFECTION in size of flower, fragrance, disease-resistance, and strength of growth predominate in this class, and while most varieties flower only in June and July, many will repeat throughout the summer and fall, a few even repeating heavily enough to rival some of the Hybrid Teas. Varieties which repeat are indicated by an (R).

Their uses are varied. They can be grown as bedding Roses at a height of 3 to 4 feet, or allowed to grow into shrubs up to 6 feet in height. A few of the more vigorous growers can be trained as pillars, giving remarkable displays of bloom in June and July; also by pegging down the long canes they can be used

as specimen plants on lawns, covering considerable area, and flowering at every bud on the stem.

Planting Distance: Average 2½ to 3 feet.

Pruning: If desired as a bedding plant, cut down to 15 to 18 inches. For shrub type, 2 feet or over, as desired. For pillar Rose, allow to grow to desired height, then cut out only dead wood or enough to keep plant within bounds.

Summer Pruning: Hybrid Perpetuals sometimes outgrow their allotted room, in which case cut the canes back to 4 feet. We have noted that this summer pruning encourages more repeat blooming.

BARONESS ROTHSCHILD. Light pink, daintily tinted with white and pale rose. 40 petals.

CAPTAIN CHRISTY. Flesh-pink, deepening toward center. Dwarf; almost everblooming. R.

CAPTAIN HAYWARD. Scarlet-crimson; fragrant. Blooms freely in autumn. 30 petals. R.

DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND. Long-pointed buds and blooms of warm pink, tinted lemon at base.

FELBERGS ROSA DRUSCHKI. Pink form of Frau Karl Druschki. Soft live pink blooms. 25 petals. R.

FERDINAND PICHARD. An attractive variegated bloom with petals streaked pink and scarlet. Strong growing and very free flowering. Will sometimes repeat during the summer. R.

FISHER HOLMES. Red-scarlet beneath a velvety black sheen. 30 petals. 75 cts. each.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. Magnificent snow-white blooms. Repeats freely. 35 petals. R. 75 cts. each.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT. Scarlet-crimson buds and clear red flowers; intensely fragrant. R.

GENERAL WASHINGTON. Deep red flowers with crimson-purple shading. Fragrant. 150 petals. R.

GEORG ARENDS. A most exquisite shade of soft pink; exceedingly fragrant. Flower resembles a Hybrid Tea. 25 petals. R.

GEORGE DICKSON. Dark red, velvety blooms of perfect shape; very fragrant. 35 petals. Perhaps the best red Hybrid Perpetual. Long buds like Hybrid Teas with Hybrid Perpetual fragrance. R.

HEINRICH MUNCH. Immense; soft pink. 50 petals. R.

HENRY NEVARD. Crimson-scarlet; fine form; sweetly fragrant. 30 petals. R.

HON. INA BINGHAM. Daybreak-pink petals; center of golden stamens. Beautiful. R.

HUGH WATSON. Very large, flat flowers of deep pink tinged with salmon and silver-pink. Strong growing; free flowering. One of the largest and finest among the Perpetuals. 20 petals. R.

LOUISE CRETTE. Pure white, inside petals creamy white. Fully double blooms of excellent form. Blooms through summer. Healthy, bushy plants with few thorns. R.

MAGNA CHARTA. Bright pink, suffused with carmine; heavily perfumed. 50 petals. 75 cts. each.

MME. ALBERT BARBIER. Soft fawn-yellow, paling to white; slight fragrance. Dwarf growth. 50 petals. R.

MRS. JOHN LAING. Clear pink; double; very sweet. Blooms continually. 45 petals. R. 75 cts. each.

MRS. R. G. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD. Rosy pink, shading lighter toward base of petals. Blooms irregularly. R. 75 cts. each.

OSKAR CORDEL. Bright carmine; deliciously fragrant. A compact plant; remontant. 40 petals. R.

PAUL NEYRON. Dark lilac-rose of immense size; remarkable fragrance. 50 petals. R.

PITTSBURGH. Very large buds and blooms of light flesh-pink, with a yellow base, globular form; slightly fragrant. Plant grows 5 to 6 feet tall, blooms freely in June and sparingly thereafter. Large, healthy foliage. R.

PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN. Dark crimson flowers, shaded black-maroon; delicious fragrance. 100 petals. R.

ROGER LAMBELIN. Irregular, semi-double, crimson flowers margined or streaked with white. A curious and beautiful variety.

SOUV. DE MME. H. THURET. Salmon-pink with chrome-yellow stamens; fragrant. Almost everblooming. 25 petals. R.

ULRICH BRUNNER. Large; bright carmine-red; very fragrant. 30 petals. 75 cts. each.

Small-flowered Polyantha Roses

All of these Roses are 75 cts. each, unless otherwise noted, less quantity discount on page 11

WHILE it is not always possible to draw a sharp line when classifying Large- and Small-flowered Polyanthas, still there is enough difference so they may be grouped separately. The individual flowers in this class are smaller, though very often the clusters are as large as Floribundas; heights in general are lower so these make good edging plants or low mass plantings. All Polyanthas are as nearly everblooming as Roses

can be. They live and bloom year after year with comparatively little attention.

Planting Distance: Average 15 inches.

Height: Average 15 to 18 inches.

Pruning: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.

CAMEO. Salmon. A distinct shade of shell-pink and salmon, with a glow of gold. A compromise between the pink and the orange-salmon Roses. Positively one of the best in this class.

CHATILLON ROSE. Bright pink, semi-double blooms touched with orange. Enormous clusters of bloom on nice plants of medium height.

EBLOUISSANT. Red. Medium-sized glowing dark red flowers, shaded heavily with velvety crimson.

ELLEN POULSEN. Pink. Large, compact clusters borne profusely on a dwarf, bushy plant 15 to 18 inches high. Large, fairly full, rose-pink flowers.

GLORIA MUNDI. Scarlet-orange. Rather large, fully double, lasting flowers of glowing scarlet-orange, borne in clusters.

GOLDEN SALMON SUPERIEUR. Scarlet-salmon. An improved form of Golden Salmon. Small bright scarlet-salmon flowers, tinged with yellow.

MISS EDITH CAVELL. Red. Small, semi-double, scarlet-red blooms shaded darker. Strong, bushy plants.

SUNSHINE. Orange. Small, full flowers, golden orange when first opening, changing to soft pink. A few blooms will scent a whole room. Dwarf plants, bloom freely. \$1 each.

TRIOMPHE ORLEANAIS. Red. Bright cherry-red, long-lasting, almost fadeless, large flowers borne in clusters. Plant is erect, 20 to 30 inches high, with glossy, bright green foliage.

YVONNE RABIER. White. Small, pure white flowers with creamy base, produced in bunches with the utmost freedom. Bushy habit and bright green, glossy foliage little affected by disease.

Special Offer V-10

1 each of the 10 Dainty \$6.50
Polyanthas here listed for **NET**
(Regular value \$7.75)



Shrub Roses, including Rugosas and Their Hybrids

All Rugosa Roses are 75 cts. each, except where otherwise noted, less quantity discount as shown below

RUGOSA ROSES are particularly valuable for hardiness, healthiness, and ability to thrive under most adverse conditions of soil and climate, withstanding almost anything.

They are distinguished by erect, very spiny stems, and by their tough, curiously wrinkled or rugose foliage. Particularly valuable for hedges or shrubberies in seashore gardens and regions where the winters are very severe. Many are ever-bloomers.

Some of the Hybrids do not have the true Rugosa foliage, but this does not mean that they are not as hardy. Nothing

could be hardier than the Grootendorst types, yet their foliage does not appear to have much Rugosa in it. For your guidance we have given what in our opinion is the comparative percentage of Rugosa as compared with "the type," but this refers only to the foliage.

Planting Distances: Hedges—1½ to 2 feet. Shrubs—3 to 4 feet.

Pruning: Shrub types—cut out old canes and shorten new canes to 4 feet. Pillars—cut out only oldest canes.

Heights: 4 to 5 feet, except where noted.

AGNES. Amber. Coppery yellow buds; flowers become pale amber-gold upon opening; sweetly fragrant. Freely produced. 6 ft. 25%. \$1 each.

BELLE POITEVINE. Pink. Very large, loosely formed flowers of bright magenta-pink. 100%.

BLANC DOUBLE DE COUBERT. Snowy white, double flowers supplied freely through summer and fall. 4 to 5 ft. 100%.

CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER. Pink. Very large flowers of light silvery pink in profusion. A pillar Rose. 8 to 9 ft. 10%.

DELICATA. Purple. Blooms light mallow-purple, shading into deeper tones; double, large, and showy. Remontant. 100%. \$1 each.

DR. ECKENER. Bicolor. Large, fragrant, semi-double flowers of coppery rose and golden yellow; very fragrant. Really a Hybrid Tea flower on a Rugosa plant. Remontant. 5 to 6 ft. 10%.

F. J. GROOTENDORST. Red. Small, bright red, fringed flowers. Large clusters freely produced throughout the growing season. 4 ft. 50%.

GOLDEN KING. Yellow. This is one of the finest of all the Hybrid Rugosas, bearing semi-double, pale yellow flowers which are richly fragrant with the old-rose perfume. Plant grows 6 to 8 feet tall with foliage showing only about 10 per cent Rugosa influence. It is remontant. \$1.50 each.

HON. LADY LINDSAY. (Niels J. Hansen, 1938.) An almost everblooming shrub or pillar Rose growing 5 to 6 feet high. The stylish, tapering buds are yellow with golden pink predominating as they age and open. 30 to 40 petals. It is a cross between the ever-popular Climber Dr. W. Van Fleet and the well-known everblooming bush Rose Rev. F. Page-Roberts; its vigorous, healthy plant habits and beautiful foliage are inherited from the former and repeat bloom habits from the latter. Planted 3 to 4 feet apart with deciduous shrubs or as a solid border by itself, the ultimate effect is indeed out of the ordinary. *Propagation rights reserved.* \$1.50 each.

MME. PLANTIER. H. Alba. Small, pure white flowers in abundance. Shrub form. Unusually hardy. \$1 each.

NOVA ZEMBLA. Large, beautifully shaped snowy white flowers, sometimes tinged with pink. 5 to 6 ft. 10%.

PINK GROOTENDORST. Pink. Clusters of small, fringed, light shell-pink blooms the entire flowering season. 4 ft. 50%.

ROSA HUGONIS. (China.) Light yellow flowers, 2 inches across. One of the first Roses to flower. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall. \$1 each.

ROSERAIE DE L'HAY. Dark red, double flowers with a most pleasing perfume. 100%.

RUGOSA. Red. Large, single flowers in shades of rosy crimson. Repeats during the season. Attractive large red berries. 100%.

RUGOSA ALBA. A white form of Rugosa. 5 ft. 100%.

RUGOSA ALBO-PLENA. White. A well-shaped double form of Rugosa Alba. Highly recommended. 4 ft. 100%. \$1 each.

RUGOSA RUBRO-PLENA. Red. Double, crimson-pink. Remontant. 100%. \$1 each.

RUSKIN. Red. Buds and flowers resemble a deep crimson-red Hybrid Perpetual with Rugosa fragrance. 75%.

SANGUINAIRE. Red. Flower large, brilliant ox-blood-red with orange base. Remontant. 15 petals. 6½ ft. Bush or pillar. 25%.

SARAH VAN FLEET. Pink. Buds and flowers vivid rose-pink; fragrant. Blooms all summer and fall. 8 to 10 ft. 75%.

SCHNEEZWERG. White. Half-double, snow-white flowers, with golden stamens. Blooms spring to frost. 80%. \$1 each.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON. Snowy white flowers of good size and unusual quality. Blooms freely all season. 6 to 8 ft. 75%.

STELLA POLARIS. White. Large, single, silvery white flowers. Blooms freely on a typical Rugosa plant. 4 ft. 100%. \$1 each.

STERN VON PRAG. Red. Double, velvety red flowers. 3 to 4 ft. 25%. \$1 each.

THUSNELDA. Pink. Soft pink flowers come early in the season. 25%. \$1 each.

PIKE'S PEAK

A new pillar Rose originated by Dr. N. C. Gunter, of Pueblo, Colo., by crossing the native wild species Rose of Colorado with the Hybrid Tea, Hollywood. It produces an abundant crop of the loveliest old-rose-pink, semi-double blooms with shades of brilliant red and yellow; has a long bloom period of about six weeks during late May and June. Exceedingly hardy in high cold altitudes. Grows 6 to 7 feet tall and flowers are produced on canes of previous year's growth.

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OUR collection of Hardy Climbers is probably the most extensive and inclusive in this country, covering all types and colors. They are by far the most popular today. Disease-resistant, this modern type of Climber has the added advantage that many varieties produce flowers on long stems suitable for cutting.

Pruning of Large-flowered Climbers: These varieties flower best on the older canes, so, contrary to the Rambler type, it is not advisable to cut out the canes which have flowered. Cut back the side shoots which have flowered, remove old worn-out

canes, and train up only enough young canes to cover the required area.

Planting Distance: Trellis or wall—6 feet. Pillars—as close as 3 feet, depending on the design.

The letters at the end of descriptions represent the blooming period in the vicinity of New York City: E., from May 25 to June 3; MS., from June 4 to 12; and L., after June 12.

Abbreviations: LC., Large-flowered Climber; HW., Hybrid Wichuraiana; Bour., Bourbon; CHT., Climbing Hybrid Tea; CHP., Climbing Hybrid Perpetual. These refer to the classes.

ALBERTINE. LC. Pink. Large, handsome flowers of coppery chamois, the reverse of petals bright salmon. As the flowers age they become coppery pink with a silvery tint. MS. 85 cts. each.

AMERICAN PILLAR. LC. Pink. A rampant grower with glossy foliage; bears huge trusses of 2-inch, single flowers of dazzling scarlet-rose with large white centers. MS. 85 cts. each.

BESS LOVETT. LC. Red. Strong-growing plant with long, flexible canes and fine foliage. Round semi-double flowers are bright crimson-red and quite fragrant. E. 85 cts. each.

BLAZE. LC. Pat. 10. Scarlet. Vivid scarlet flowers over a long blooming period. MS. \$1 each.

CHAPLIN'S PINK CLIMBER. LC. Pink. Rather large, single to semi-double flowers of a very brilliant pure pink shade, borne in great profusion. A strong, husky plant. Very hardy. MS. 85 cts. each.

CHASTITY. CHT. White. Medium flowers of creamy white, with gorgeous orange stamens and rich fragrance. Once blooming. Withstands zero weather without protection. MS. 85 cts. each.

CHRISTINE WRIGHT. LC. Pink. Large, cupped, informal flowers. An exquisite wild-rose-pink, borne in long-stemmed sprays. Occasional flowers in summer and fall. E. 85 cts. each.

COPPER GLOW. LC. Pat. 458. Copper. Large, fragrant flowers of brilliant copper. Blooms for a long time. MS. \$1.50 each.

CORALIE. LC. Coral. A beautiful, hardy, erect Climber with handsome, glossy foliage. Large, fiery orange-scarlet buds, opening to clear light pink flowers with yellow center, fading to pale pink. E. 85 cts. each.

CRIMSON CONQUEST. LC. Red. A moderate-growing Climber with deep red flowers, softened with cerise. The 3-inch flowers with their bright yellow stamens are beautiful. 5 to 6-foot canes. Very hardy. MS. \$1 each.

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DR. W. VAN FLEET. LC. Pink. Abundant long-stemmed, beautifully formed flowers of a soft pale shade of flesh-pink, the equal of a fine Hybrid Tea. MS. 85 cts. each.

ELEGANCE. LC. Yellow. Flowers are spectrum-yellow in center, shading to a pale yellow on the outer petals, deepening in color as they open, carried on stiff stems 1 to 3 feet long. Huge exhibition flowers, Hybrid Tea in form. Pat. pending. MS. \$1 each.

EMILY GRAY. LC. Buff. A fine, vigorous Climber, none too hardy, with shiny, holly-like foliage. Large, deep saffron-yellow buds open to fragrant, golden buff flowers. MS. 85 cts. each.

FRANCOIS POISSON. LC. Yellow. Large, full flowers of pale sulphur-yellow, shaded orange in center, becoming white as they expand. An excellent Climber, but also excellent as a trailer, forming a flat mat of dark, glossy, almost evergreen foliage. L. \$1 each.

FREDERICK S. PECK. LC. Pat. 419. Pink. Semi-double, deep grenadine-pink blooms with yellow tints in center appear singly and in clusters on slightly arched stems high above the attractive foliage. MS. \$1 each.

GARDENIA. LC. Yellow. Vigorous Climber with handsome foliage. Large, pale creamy yellow buds and blooms of delicate ivory-white, occasionally deeper yellow in center. MS. 85 cts. each.

GLENN DALE. LC. White. Lemon-colored buds and very pretty double flowers of pale yellow which quickly turn white. MS. 85 cts. each.

GOLDEN CLIMBER (MRS. ARTHUR CURTISS JAMES). LC. Pat. 28. Yellow. A strong climbing plant which does not bloom until it is thoroughly established, when it produces hundreds of perfectly formed golden yellow flowers of Hybrid Tea quality and fragrance, on 1½ to 2-foot stems. MS. \$1 each.

GOLDEN GLOW. LC. Pat. 263. Yellow. The pure spectrum-yellow Hybrid-Tea-like flowers are 3½ to 5 inches in diameter, emitting a Tea fragrance, varying in number to 15 on a stem. Perfectly hardy. Grows to 15 feet. MS. \$1 each.

ILE DE FRANCE. HW. Pink. Enormous clusters of semi-double, light crimson-pink flowers, with white centers. Vigorous and profuse flowering. MS. \$1 each.

JUNE MORN. LC. Pat. 375. Bicolor. A sturdy Climber with 5-inch, double flowers of watermelon-pink with a golden reverse. Heavy, deep green foliage. Blooms in early summer and again in fall. \$1.50 each.

KITTY KININMONTH. LC. Pink. Ruffled, semi-double flowers of glowing, fadeless pink borne in reckless abandon over a long season. MS. \$1 each.

MARY LOVETT. LC. White. Excellent foliage and large, waxy white, delightfully fragrant flowers. MS. 85 cts. each.

MARY WALLACE. LC. Pink. Very strong growth. Large bright pink flowers with a luminous sheen. MS. 85 cts. each.

MERCEDES GALLART. LC. Red. Ever-blooming. The first crop in June is a cerise-red changing to magenta, but in midsummer and autumn the blooms are clear bright crimson, intensely fragrant. Hardy. E. \$1 each.

MERMAID. LC. Primrose. Single, soft primrose flowers 5 inches across. Beautiful foliage. One of the loveliest of all Climbers. Slow starting in spring. We recommend spring planting north of Washington. L. \$1 each.

MME. GREGOIRE STAECHELIN. LC. Pink. Also called "Spanish Beauty." Huge, fragrant, delicate pink flowers, stained crimson. Has the largest seed-pods of any Climber. E. 85 cts. each.

NEW DAWN. LC. Pat. 1. Pale pink. A fine, hardy everblooming Climber. It is a sport of the well-known Dr. W. Van Fleet. L. \$1.50 each.

NUBIAN. CHP. Dark velvety red. Has 8-foot canes. MS. \$1.50 each.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. LC. Red. Intensely red flowers, borne in loose clusters. Often blooms in autumn. Highly recommended. Best used as a pillar because of its restricted height. One of the most popular Climbers. MS. 85 cts. each.

PURITY. LC. White. Very robust Climber with large, cup-shaped, white flowers, borne profusely. MS. \$1 each.

ROSERIE. LC. Pink. Quite large, frilled, deep pink flowers, borne in loose clusters. Thornless. E. 85 cts. each.

ROYAL SCARLET HYBRID. LC. Crimson. Dark, glowing crimson flowers with great ruffled petals and bright yellow centers. E. 85 cts. each.

RUTH ALEXANDER. LC. Pat. 178. Bicolor. This gorgeous climbing Rose is in a class by itself. It is a vigorous plant with heavy canes and extra-large, heavy, leathery dark bronzy green foliage. The flowers are from 4½ to 5 inches in diameter, of rich cadmium-orange with the outer third of each petal of glowing peach-red. There are only about 15 petals in this great Rose, just enough for the gorgeous colors to show to best advantage. It has a rich fruity fragrance. MS. \$1.25 each.

SILVER MOON. LC. White. Handsome foliage, and big, saucer-shaped, moon-white flowers with brilliant yellow centers. MS. 85 cts. each.

ZEPHIRINE DROUHIN. Bour. Vivid pink, well-filled flowers of fine shape, exquisitely perfumed. Blooms freely in spring and sparingly in fall. Attractive plants with thornless, reddened canes and healthy foliage. Climbing. \$1 each.

NEW DAWN. \$1.50 each



Old-Fashioned Roses

HISTORY, sentiment, poets and scribes are all entwined with these old Roses, and the fact that we moderns can have in our gardens the Roses so loved by the ancients, adds much to their attractiveness. These Roses do not belong in beds of the Modern Hybrid Teas but are best in the background and interplanted among other shrubs in the shrub border. Being shrubs in habit they should have at least 3 or 4 feet between them.

The plants are not only hardy and healthy, but once established they pretty well take care of themselves, requiring a minimum of pruning and attention. Although most of them bloom but once each year they provide splendid crops of unusually attractive and, in most cases, intensely fragrant flowers in early summer, followed by unusually interesting fruit (hips). There are no other flowering plants to compare with the exquisite beauty of the Mosses; the distinctiveness of the striped and deep violet Gallicas and the delicious fragrance of the Centifolias and Damasks. Make your garden a *real* Rose-garden by adding specimens of these Roses of a century ago, the ancestors of the Roses of today.

Bobbink and Atkins stand alone in this staunch effort to continue the propagation of these old historic Roses. We believe our great amount of research and study will not only be appreciated by Rose collectors but that sooner or later, the owner of every garden of modest size will include at least a few to cherish forever.

PRUNING: Flowers are borne on old wood. As the plants age, thin out old wood in the early spring, saving the best 1-year and 2-year stems; shorten laterals. If they are to be grown for height, prune sparingly, in which case the flowers will be less perfect. For very fine flowers, cut down 2½ to 3 feet each spring.

The Moss Rose

All Moss Roses are \$2.50 each, except where noted. 75 cts. each for the popular kinds

HENRI MARTIN. (Laffay, 1863.) Sparsely mossed buds and fairly large shining crimson, semi-double flowers. A moderate grower, but one of the best red Mosses which have survived. 75 cts. each.

JEANNE DE MONTFORT. (Robert, 1851 or 1854.) Large, flat, semi-double flowers of clear pink, edged with silver. A tall, vigorous grower; very free flowering. Accepted and admired as a favorite Moss Rose.

LOUIS GIMARD. A very good, full, true bright pink Moss Rose. The long stems are heavily clothed with moss and it is a free bloomer and easy grower. This is one of the oldest historical Moss Roses, probably dating back to the 1600's.

MME. LOUIS LEVEQUE. (Leveque, 1898.) While this is a modern variety compared to many others we offer, it is now considered, from a standpoint of size, perfume and mossiness, to be one of the finest of all times. The color is a brilliant salmon-pink, and we find that occasional flowers of large size are produced in autumn. Not only are the stems well mossed, but the perfume of the flower is extraordinary.

MOUSSEUX ANCIEN. The delicate pink flowers are shaded darker toward center. The sepals are beautifully mossed. One of the finest of the Old Mosses and worthy of a place in your garden.

NUITS D'YOUNG. (Laffay, 1845, 1851, 1854.) This famous old Moss Rose is of dwarf, compact growth, and bears relatively small flowers of an extraordinary combination of brown, maroon, and purple which the old writers described in many different ways: purple shaded darker, velvety, almost black; purple-chestnut, almost violet; purple-maroon; purple-red, a sullied shade; deep velvety purple; deep purple.

OLD PINK MOSS (COMMON OR OLD MOSS; COMMUNIS). This is the original old Moss Rose which came to England from Holland about 1596. It is still one of the finest varieties; large, globular, pale rose-pink flowers. 75 cts. each.

SALET. (Robert, 1854.) One of the Perpetual-flowering Mosses which bloom again in autumn if given special care. The flowers are rosy pink with blush edges. The autumn bloom is unusually good. 75 cts. each.

SOUV. DE PIERRE VIBERT. (Moreau-Robert, 1867.) One of the very best dark red, shaded carmine, Moss Roses. Blooms are large, full, and literally cover the plant, even though the bush is of but moderate growth. It frequently blooms again in autumn.

Austrian Briers

Austrian Briers are descendants of *Rosa fetida*, and the ancestors of the modern yellow, orange, and copper Hybrid Teas. Hardy and spectacular in color, they make fine shrubs or Climbers.

Pruning: Thin out old wood.

These Roses are \$1 each

AUSTRIAN COPPER (*Rosa fetida bicolor*). Single flowers of intense copper-red, reverse of petals bright golden yellow.

AUSTRIAN YELLOW. The yellow-flowered type of Austrian Copper.

PARKFEUER. (P. Lambert, 1908.) Single, bright scarlet. Strong grower (6 to 8 feet).



AUSTRIAN COPPER. \$1 each



BLANCHE MOREAU. (Moreau-Robert, 1880.) Heavily mossed buds and white, double flowers, tinged with pink in the center, borne in clusters. Very vigorous and free flowering. With proper care it may bloom in autumn. 75 cts. each.

CAPITAINE JOHN INGRAM. (Laffay, 1854.) Dark red double blooms of medium size. The lovely buds are well mossed. Vigorous free-blooming plant.

CATHERINE DE WURTEMBERG. (Robert, 1843.) Large, soft pink blooms of globular form. They are fully double. Buds are nicely mossed. Strong growth.

CRAMOISI VELOUTE. Large, double blooms of dark scarlet. Buds are only slightly mossed but open flowers are beautiful.

CRESTED MOSS. This Rose was found growing on a convent wall in Friburg, Switzerland, in 1827. It has been called *Cristata* and *Chapeau de Napoleon*. Although it is not a true Moss, the calyx of the bloom is so remarkably fringed and frilled that it cannot be assigned to any other class. The flowers are large, full, and bright rose-pink. A very desirable and popular variety. 75 cts. each.

DELILLE. (Robert, 1852.) Semi-double blooms of blush-white. Beautifully mossed buds. Our plants furnish repeat bloom about the middle of July.

DUCHESSE DE VERNEUIL. (Portemer, 1856.) Heavily mossed buds open to flesh-pink flowers of camellia form and mature salmon-pink.

DUCHESSE D'ISTRIE. (Laffay, 1855.) Large, double, bright rosy pink flowers, borne in clusters. This is the variety that all collectors of Old-fashioned Roses consider very much worth while.

GLOIRE DES MOUSSEUX. (Laffay, 1852.) Old authorities claimed this to be finest of all Mosses. The buds are splendidly mossed and the imbricated pink flowers are very lovely. Plants are vigorous and productive.

GOETHE. (P. Lambert, 1911.) A very vigorous Moss at least 4½ feet tall with an abundance of heavily mossed buds and lovely crimson flowers.

Old-Fashioned Roses

The French Rose

Rosa gallica

A century ago the only hardy garden Roses were a few groups of once-blooming types and probably the most popular of them were the Gallicas, or so-called French Roses.

The flowers are beautiful in a distinctly different way and most of them are fragrant; also the plants are healthy and hardy.

We have retained a few varieties which are so splendid that they should be in every Rose-lover's garden.

These Roses are \$2.50 each, unless otherwise noted.

BOULE DE NANTEUIL. (Introducer unknown.) Large, very double, deep pink to red, outside of petals silvery pink. Pretty.

CARDINAL DE RICHELIEU. (Laffay, 1840.) Very dark, double flowers of medium size and extremely handsome and rich in coloring. In some lights the deeper violet tones are almost blue, and in others they are purple verging to velvety black.

COUPE D'HEBE. (Laffay, 1840.) From deep rose-pink to pale tones; full cupped flower; very fragrant. Vigorous growth.

DESIREE PARMENTIER. (Introducer unknown.) A large loose flower which is quite flat. Color is between light red and deep pink.

DUC DE GUICHE. (Introducer unknown.) Large, double flowers of a curious orchid shade.

DUMORTIER. (Introducer unknown.) Medium; flat; very double; light red with silvery reflexes.

GEORGES VIBERT. (Robert, 1853.) One of the most striking variegated Roses—bright purplish red broken by white streaks and stripes. \$1 each.

JEANNETTE. (Descemet.) Double flowers of bright light red, fading gradually to light rose-pink. An attractive variety.

LA RUBANEE. (Vibert, 1845.) This, one of the most popular of the old varieties, we find identical to those we receive from time to time under the name of Village Maid, Panachée Double and Perle des Panachées. It is one of the famous striped Roses. Rose and purple veinings on a white background.

MALVINA. (V. Verdier, 1841.) Large, showy clusters of very double flowers, showing a handsome pale pink center changing to lilac rosy pink near the edges.

MERCEDES. (Vibert, 1847.) Large, double flowers of white and lilac, changing to pale pink.

PRESIDENT DE SEZE. (Mme. Hébert.) Lilac-red, shaded violet-orchid color.

ROSA GALLICA. Ancestor of all the French Roses and, in fact, there is Gallica blood in most every modern hybrid Rose. Large, single, dark pink flowers on erect bushes 2½ to 3 feet tall. \$1 each.

ROSA MUNDI. (Vibert, 1875.) Rather large, semi-double flowers of white or pale pink, broadly striped red and dark rose. Some petals may be all white, others all red, some half white and half red, some evenly striped. Altogether they form one of the loveliest color combinations, making this one of our most striking Roses. This is the Rose that is usually sold as York and Lancaster. \$1 each.

TUSCANY. Aster-purple with Tyrian rose and touches of rhodamine-purple. The flowers are usually in pairs.



ROSA GALLICA

The Damask Rose

Rosa damascena

The Damask Roses are very hardy and make robust growth, clothed with large, rough, light green leaves. Their flowers are very freely produced and are generally borne in trusses of three or more. The fame of their powerful fragrance is second only to that of the Cabbage and the Moss Roses.

These Roses are \$2.50 each, except where noted

DAMAS OFFICINALIS. Large; very double; pink. \$1 each.

KAZANLIK (*R. damascena trigintipetala*). (Southeastern Europe.) A semi-double form of the Damask Rose grown in the Balkans for the production of attar of roses. 3 to 4 feet.

MARIE LOUISE. Medium-sized double flowers of rich deep pink. They are intensely fragrant. Bushy, shrubby growth. One of the most desirable of the Damask family.

MME. HARDY. (Hardy, 1832.) This is the much-sought-for pure white Damask Rose. It is cup-shaped, large and full, and bears heavily in spreading clusters. We consider it the most beautiful and fragrant of the white Old-fashioned Roses.

PROFESSEUR EMILE PERROT. (E. Turbat & Co., 1931.) A delicate soft pink, very fragrant Damask Rose brought to France from Persia by Professeur Perrot. Grown in great quantities for the perfume industry.

ROSA DAMASCENA. The original Rose of Damascus. Yields double rose-pink blooms with 18 or more petals. When fully open, the golden stamens add to its loveliness. Pleasingly and deliciously fragrant. \$1 each.

YORK AND LANCASTER. This historical Rose is said to have appeared in an English garden soon after the War of the Roses and the historical description said that "It has irregularly shaped small flowers which may be pink or pure white, or part pink and part white. Flowers of these different colorings may, and often do, appear on the bush at the same time." The blooms are richly fragrant with the true Damask scent. This is distinctly different from the striped Rose which has heretofore been sold as York and Lancaster in this country. \$1.50 each.

Dwarf Fairy Roses

These charming little Roses, sometimes called "Miniatures," seldom grow more than a foot high. Though small and dainty, they are comparatively hardy, even in cold climates. They should never be planted right in among other ever-blooming Roses, although they do make nice edging plants for the small Rose-garden. They have many uses in rock and alpine gardens.

These Roses are 75 cts. each

LAWRANCEANA ROSE (MISS LAW-RANCE'S ROSE). Tiny, semi-double, pale pink flowers. Plants are dwarf and bloom continually. Potted plants.

OAKINGTON RUBY. (C. R. Bloom & Son, 1933.) Deep crimson buds opening to ruby-red—lovely, non-fading color with no white center. This is a lovely red Fairy Rose. Potted plants.

POMPON DE PARIS (POMPON ANCIEN). The plants are small, the buds pointed, and the flowers a deep pink. Potted plants.

ROULETTI. Double rose-pink flowers, less than a half inch across. Potted plants.

ROSA ROULETTI. 75 cts. each



Old-fashioned Roses

Scotch Roses

Rosa spinosissima Hybrids

Small, fern-like foliage and spiny growth distinguish this group. They are all extremely hardy, trouble-free, making fine compact bushes combining well with other shrubs and handsome as specimen plants.

Pruning: Thin out old wood only.

All Scotch Roses are \$1 each, except where otherwise noted

HARISON'S YELLOW. The yellow shrub Rose of oldtime gardens. Semi-double, bright yellow flowers on sturdy plants 6 to 8 feet tall. 75 cts. each.

LADY HAMILTON. Blush. Rose-shaded bud changing to rosy blush as the semi-double flowers unfold. Exquisite.

ROSA SPINOSISSIMA. White. The original Scotch Rose. Flowers usually white, but sometimes pink or yellowish. Very fragrant. An excellent hedge subject. 3 feet. 60 cts. each, \$5 for 10, \$45 per 100.

R. SPINOSISSIMA ALTAICA. White. Large, creamy white, single flowers followed by black fruit. A free-blooming shapely shrub. 4 feet.

R. SPINOSISSIMA FULGENS. Small, fragrant, single flowers of shell-pink. 3 to 4 feet.

R. SPINOSISSIMA HISPIDA. (Siberia.) Yellow. A Scotch Rose with light sulphur-yellow flowers. Grows about 3 feet tall.

STANWELL PERPETUAL. Pink. This old favorite blooms during the entire season. Flesh-pink, double blooms. 6 feet.

The Cabbage Rose

Rosa centifolia

The Cabbage or Provence Rose has been grown in gardens for so many centuries that nobody knows where or when it originated. They are probably the most fragrant of all Roses and have been grown for ages to manufacture rose-water and attar of roses.

These Roses are \$2.50 each, unless otherwise noted

CABBAGE (*R. centifolia*). This is the original Provence Rose, with double, nodding flowers of rosy pink, paling at the edges soon after opening. The name "Cabbage" is suggested by the incurved globular form—not the size. \$1 each.

KONIGIN VON DANEMARK. (Booth Bros., 1898.) Flowers medium size, very full, fragrant, flesh-pink with darker center. Vigorous.

PERSUE DE GOSSART. A large double flower of velvety cerise with garnet reflexes. Very distinct and shows the true Cabbage Rose formation.

VARIEGATA DI BOLOGNA. (Bonfiglioli, 1909.) This is the largest of all striped Roses and shows the pure white background with purplish red veinings on each petal. Plant makes a spectacular pillar or large, vigorous shrub. The blooms are the true large, double, globular, Cabbage Rose type.

VIERGE DE CLERY. (Baron Veillard, 1888.) Snow white blooms of large size; exceedingly fragrant. Considered the best white Cabbage Rose in existence.

Hybrid Sweetbriers Penzance Briers

Developed from the common Sweetbrier or Eglantine, *Rosa rubiginosa*, they have deliciously scented foliage and bear charming single or semi-double flowers along their arching canes. All of them are strong growers.

Planting Distance: Give plenty of room—8 to 10 feet at the least.

Pruning: Thin out old dead wood.

Height: Varies from 10 to 15 feet.

These Roses are \$1 each, unless otherwise noted

ANNE OF GEIERSTEIN. Rich, dark crimson; single.

BRENDA. Light peachy pink, fairly large flowers; fragrant.

JULIA MANNERING. Almost a pink; fragrant.

LADY PENZANCE. Bright copper-colored flowers with a brilliant sheen. 75 cts. each.

LORD PENZANCE. Flowers fawn-colored, delicately tinted with ecru. 75 cts. each.

MEG MERRILIES. Fine single crimson. Very free.

REFULGENCE. Bright scarlet; semi-double. Vigorous.

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Everblooming Semi-climbing Roses

Lambertiana, Captain Thomas's and Rev. Pemberton's

These Roses are \$1.25 each, less quantity discount on page 11

THESE fine old introductions of Peter Lambert, Captain Thomas, and The Rev. J. H. Pemberton have long been a specialty with us. When Rose-lovers once get to know them, they admire and love them for their repeat-blooming qualities and their strong shrubby habit of growth. They have a long blooming period during June and July, and then again throughout the summer and fall seasons. Thrive almost anywhere and

require very little care. Their heights range from 5 to 8 feet and are, therefore, valuable for pillars, fences or as strong shrubs without support provided they are kept pruned lightly and within bounds.

Pruning: Retain old wood and new wood. Cut out only dead and surplus wood.

Planting Distance: 3 to 4 feet apart.

BISHOP DARLINGTON. (Capt. Thomas, 1912.) Pink. Large, semi-double flowers of lovely flesh-pink suffused with yellow at base of petals. Vigorous growth; good foliage; a profuse and continuous bloomer.

CLYTEMNESTRA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1915.) Pink. Coppery buds; small, ruffled deep pink flowers shading to salmon.

CORNELIA. H. Musk. (J. H. Pemberton, 1925.) Pink. Very double flowers, about 3 inches across, of strawberry-pink. flushed yellow, borne in abundant, flat sprays. Vigorous shrub habit.

DAYBREAK. (J. H. Pemberton, 1918.) Yellow. Golden yellow, almost single flowers, freely produced in clusters. Shrub 4 to 5 feet.

FELICIA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1927.) Blush. Pink buds, opening to blush and nearly white on large, branching panicles.

PAX. (J. H. Pemberton, 1918.) White. Large, creamy buds of lovely form, and broad, white flowers of much charm; very fragrant. Blooms steadily through the summer.

PENELOPE. (J. H. Pemberton, 1924.) Blush. A perpetual-flowering cluster Rose of shrub habit. The flowers are shell-pink, but turn pure white shading to lemon around centers as they age. This gives the effect of having both pink and white blossoms on one plant.

VANITY. H. Mos. (J. H. Pemberton, 1920.) Large, single, fragrant rose-pink flowers.



SEMI-CLIMBING ROSES. Penelope is one of the best



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DISTINCTION and charm are added to your garden by the use of Delphiniums at the back of your borders. These massive spikes form a perfect background for lower-growing plants and have a stateliness and beauty all their own.

The B. & A. strain of giant-flowered Hybrid Delphinium is not excelled by any other strain in existence. Our plants are all grown from hand-pollinated seed, so that we have the finest stock of large field-grown clumps for Fall 1942.

NOTE: The complete list of B. & A. Perennials for spring and fall planting is offered in our 56-page catalogue mailed this spring. Additional copies available upon request.

We offer an assortment of five colors: Rich royal purple, sky-blue, lavender-pink, giant white, and dark lilac.

10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$9.75

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BARONESS SCHROEDER. Creamy white.⑥
DUCHESS DE NEMOURS. Yellow and white.

LONGFELLOW. Crimson-red.

MARY BRAND. Dark red.③

MME. JULES DESSERT. Pink.①

MONS. JULES ELIE. Silvery rose-pink.②

MONS. MARTIN CAHUZAC. Deep red to maroon.⑧

OFFICINALIS RUBRA PLENA. Brilliant red.

PRIMEVERE. Yellow.

REINE HORTENSE. Clear hydrangea-pink.⑦

THERESE. Pink and old-rose.④

WALTER FAXON. Deep salmon-pink.⑨

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12 SUPER-SIZE ROOTS \$10.85**
(regular value \$16.25) for

PLANTED in solid beds and borders along driveways and paths, Peonies not only produce a stately array of harmonizing colors at blooming-time, but continue to provide excellent foliage throughout the season. Peonies are most valuable as accent plants in the perennial border. If they are cut with medium-length stems before the buds open, they will keep for a week or ten days at a time.



Herbaceous Double Peonies

Adolphe Rousseau. 8.5. Lustrous rich dark red to garnet. Very early. \$1.50 each.

Albert Crousse. 8.6. Bright pink; excellent form; fragrant. Very late. \$1 each.

Avalanche. 8.7. Pure milky white flower with perfect form; fragrant. Late. \$1 each.

Baroness Schroeder. 9.0. Creamy white with unusual depth and size. Late. \$1 each.

Cherry Hill. 8.6. Deep crimson-red that does not fade. The earliest and most prolific bloomer in the red class. \$2 each.

Duchesse de Nemours. 8.1. Guard-petals white, with a clear lemon-yellow center. Exquisitely chaste in the half-open state. Fragrant. Very early. 75 cts. each.

Edulis Superba. 8.6. Brilliant rose-pink with silvery reflex. Most popular for cut-flowers. Fragrant. Very early. 75 cts. each.

Felix Crousse. 8.4. Brilliant, dazzling red, ruby-flame center. One of the oldest and most dependable reds. Midseason. \$1 each.

Festiva Maxima. 9.3. Very large pure white Peony with center petalage tipped with carmine-red spots. Fragrant. Early. \$1 each.

Grandiflora. 8.8. Flesh-pink. The latest double Peony to bloom. Very fragrant. \$1.50 each.

Karl Rosenfield. 8.8. Crimson-red. Midseason. \$1 each.

Kelway's Glorious. 9.8. Creamy white flower of great delicacy and charm. One of the finest and most fragrant Peonies in existence. Late. \$2.50 each.

Lady Alexandra Duff. 9.1. Rosy pink shaded white. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Le Cygne. 9.9. This rating would class it as the perfect white Peony and so it is when the plants become established two or three years. It is really a creamy white with perfect form and character. Very fragrant. Midseason. \$3 each.

Longfellow. 9.0. Crimson-red of unusual richness; non-fading. Late. \$1.50 each.

Marguerite Gerard. 8.4. Flesh-pink with a creamy white center. Midseason. \$1 each.

Marie Jacquin. 8.3. Often called the "Water Lily Peony." Flesh-white with a rosy tinge in the bud. Semi-double, with a wealth of golden stamens in the center. Rich fragrance. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Mary Brand. 8.7. Very dark red. Late. \$1 each.

Mme. Jules Dessert. 9.4. Very high-class light pink; fragrant. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Mons. Jules Elie. 9.2. The finest silvery pink. Very early. \$1.50 each.

Mons. Martin Cahuzac. 8.8. This is the deepest red of all and often termed the "Black Peony." Early. \$2 each.

Officinalis Rubra Plena. 8.6. Referred to as the "Old-fashioned Peony." Brilliant red. The first double Peony to bloom. Very early. \$1 each.

Philippe Rivoire. 9.2. Considered the very best red Peony in existence. Very sweet fragrance. Late. \$3 each.

Phoebe Cary. 8.8. An exquisite fresh shade of light lavender-pink; fragrant. Midseason. \$3 each.

Primevere. 8.6. Sometimes referred to as the yellow Peony although the guard-petals are white; very fragrant. Midseason. \$2 each.

Reine Hortense. 8.7. An even shade of clear pink delicately flecked crimson. Midseason. \$1 each.

Richard Carvel. 8.8. One of the very best bright red Peonies. Very fragrant. Early. \$1.50 each.

Sarah Bernhardt. 9.0. An even shade of lovely pure pink. Very late. \$1.50 each.

Solange. 9.7. "Coffee-and-cream" color. One of the finest exhibition colors although it is not always a dependable bloomer. Very late. \$1.50 each.

Therese. 9.8. A wonderful blend of translucent pink, lavender and old-rose. Should be in every collection. Fragrant. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Walter Faxon. 9.3. The only true salmon-pink Peony in existence. Very fragrant. Late. \$1.50 each.

William F. Turner. 8.4. Very dark crimson with a blackish sheen showing golden stamens. Late. \$2.50 each.

Discount on Herbaceous Peonies:
Deduct 10% from \$15 worth or more

The roots we offer: In comparing Peony prices, please bear in mind that our roots are considerably larger than those generally offered, so you may therefore expect a reasonable number of fair-sized blooms the first year without the customary waiting period.

Time to plant Peonies: September, October, and November, depending on latitude, are Peony-planting months.

Peony ratings: The rating with each variety is the average tabulated vote by members of the American Peony Society. 10 represents absolute perfection.



One Tree Peony produces many of the most refined and unusual blooms imaginable

TREE OR SHRUB PEONIES

A WELL-ESTABLISHED Tree Peony will attain a height of about 3 to 4 feet. Their shrubby and woody growth does not die down over the winter in sharp contrast to the herbaceous kinds. Their designation as Tree Peonies may be confusing to the inexperienced buyer so we compare them in growth habits to medium- or small-sized flowering shrubs. It is not unusual to hear of Tree Peonies 30 to 40 years old producing hundreds of perfect blooms every season. At least one or two of these true Peony Aristocrats should be in every garden. They are the first Peonies to bloom in early spring but the flowers are larger and more showy than those of the herbaceous varieties. They have a firm, crepe-paper-like texture, ruffled and crimped on the edges of the petals.

This fall we offer dormant plants at least four to five years old and every one has already bloomed in the nursery row. They are now about 12 to 18 inches high with roots of almost equal length. We can also supply specimens of certain varieties, where indicated, 8 to 10 years old. All our dormant, nursery-grown Tree Peonies should produce some fair-sized blooms the first year and in this respect are in no way comparable to smaller plants grown in 5 or 6-inch clay pots, which sometimes do not bloom for several years.

Single Herbaceous Peonies

THE SINGLES are really exciting and out of the ordinary having a single row of broad, firm, wavy petals surrounding the center of rich, showy, golden stamens or a mass of golden, finely quilled staminodes. Try at least a few for a real garden thrill. They are all equally as hardy as the Double Herbaceous types and have exactly the same habit of growth and root formation.

Ama-no-sode. 9.2. Has the general appearance of an immense ruffled wild rose with a pinkish buff center. Midseason. \$5 each.

Fuyajo. 9.2. The best dark crimson or garnet. Late. \$2 each.

Le Jour. 8.6. One of the most desirable white Singles. Early. \$2.50 each.

Mikado. 8.6. Deep crimson in sharp contrast to the large cushion of golden stamens. Very popular. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

EUROPEAN TREE PEONIES—DOUBLE

Athlete. Brilliant rose-pink; mauve overcast. \$5 each. Specimens \$12.

Banksi. Flesh-pink. Very popular and easy grower. \$4 each.

Baronne d'Ales. Salmon-pink with a darker rose-pink center. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Chromatella. A pure yellow without any shade of salmon or buff. The blooms are very large, double, and fragrant. This is a sport from the more popular variety Souvenir de Maxime Cornu. Chromatella, however, is a pure yellow. \$25 each.

Fragrans Maxima Plena. Soft salmon-flesh-pink. Very outstanding. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Lactea. Pure white. Profuse bloomer. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

La Lorraine. Pure sulphur-yellow becoming lighter yellow as it opens. Blooms are very double, of lasting substance, and delightfully fragrant. This variety and Chromatella are the very best double yellow Tree Peonies in existence. \$18 each.

Mme. Stuart Low. Brilliant salmon-red. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Osiris. Darkest velvety red. An unusually rich coloring in such a large flower as this. \$7 each. Specimens \$15.

Princess Mathilde. Clear rose-flesh-pink. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Reine Elizabeth. Bright rose-salmon. The most popular of the European pinks. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Souv. de Ducher. Amaranth-red. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Souvenir de Maxime Cornu. Yellow, heavily shaded orange-salmon. Most distinctly colored Tree Peony in existence. A profuse bloomer, and still a very scarce variety. \$15 each.

TREE PEONIES

Single and Semi-Double

America (Beikoku). Beautiful soft flesh-pink; semi-double. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Flight of Cranes (Rein-Kahu). Pure white with central cushion of golden anthers; semi-double. \$6 each.

Golden Center (Ukaregi-Ohi). Brilliant warm salmon-rose with a central cushion of golden anthers; semi-double. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

King of Peonies (Yomo-no-homare). Bright rose; extremely large—10 inches across; semi-double. Very profuse bloomer. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Lion's Mane (Shishi-no-Tategami). Light salmon-pink; semi-double. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

The Woods of Mt. Fuji (Fuji-no-mori). Orchid-mauve; semi-double. \$6 each. Specimens \$12.

Pride of Langport. 8.9. Many consider this the finest pure pink. Single. Early. \$3 each.

Rosy Dawn. 8.5. Blush-white. Prolific dependable bloomer. Very early. \$3 each.

The Moor. 8.0. Our darkest red with a lustrous black sheen when first opening. Lasts long. Midseason. \$2 each.

Whitleyi Major. This is a fine large white; flowers produced freely. \$1.50 each.

GROUND-COVERS



GERMANDER • *Teucrium Chamædrys*. Formal Edging



LAVENDER COTTON • *Santolina incana*

GERMANDER

Teucrium Chamædrys

Compact bushes with small, spiny dark green leaves. Practically evergreen, it may be clipped to any desired height, and, being hardier, it has taken the place of dwarf boxwood for edging. 1 ft. July, Aug.

85 cts. for 3; \$2.50 for 10;
\$20 per 100.

LAVENDER COTTON

Santolina incana

Dwarf evergreen perennial. Silvery white foliage. Small yellow flowers in July. Fine for edging.

85 cts. for 3; \$2.50 for 10;
\$20 per 100.

PACHYSANDRA

TERMINALIS

Most useful for planting in dense shade where few other plants will grow. The foliage remains green winter and summer. Its inconspicuous greenish white flowers are produced in May and June. 6 to 9 in. Our pot-grown plants are incomparably superior to the field-grown ones usually offered.

\$1.50 for 10; \$12 per 100;
\$90 per 1000.

PERIWINKLE

Vinca minor

An evergreen trailer that is fine for covering bare banks and places under trees. Lilac-blue flowers.

60 cts. for 3; \$1.50 for 10;
\$12 per 100; \$90 per 1000.



PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS



PERIWINKLE • *Vinca minor*



CHRISTMAS
ROSE
Helleborus niger

Christmas Rose

HELLEBORUS NIGER

One of the very few plants blooming in the garden during the winter months. They prefer rich soil and partial shade and must not be allowed to suffer for water. The anemone-like flowers are from 2½ to 3 inches across and last for weeks, taking on various tints of color, finally turning light green. Plants often bloom in early winter and again toward spring. Large white flowers of great beauty.

\$1.25 each; \$3 for 3



ORIENTAL IRIS (^{IRIS}KAEMPFERI) "The Hardy Garden Orchid"

THESE summer-blooming Iris are among the most important of the hardy perennials. In beauty, form, and color they rival or even surpass the celebrated orchid. They are trouble-free and easily grown when once established, and never fail to provoke exclamations of surprise and delight from those who look upon them for the first time. The subtle elegance of the blooms, coupled with the graceful grassy foliage, makes a real triumph of the smallest planting.

Flowering in July, they are of easy culture, growing splendidly in a sunny position in any ordinary good garden soil. These Iris are especially effective planted at the edge of a pool or along a stream. When established, they attain a height of about 3 feet, with flowers in a wide variety of color and as large as 8 inches across. The 3-petaled varieties are equally as artistic and beautiful as the 6-petaled kinds, for their charm and sparkle compensate for what they lack in petalage.

We have listed those varieties which we believe to be the world's finest. They will give you years of untold satisfaction and pleasure.

NOTE: All varieties have a pronounced gold streak toward the base of the petals.

Apollo. White petals veined purple, with orchid stigmas, present a fine contrast. 3 petals.

Blue Bird. Rich true blue. Very choice. 3 petals.

Blue Jay. Light blue shading darker toward the center overlaid with purple sheen and silvery stripe. 6 petals.

Bride. Red-violet, heavily veined white; white stigmas. 3 large petals.

Child's Beauty. White, heavily veined blue; purple stigmas. 3 large petals.

Distinction. Light lavender petals and stigmas. Very good. 6 petals.

Eleanor Parry. Rich, vinous purple. 6 petals.

Gold Bound. Large, pure white, most conspicuous gold streak. 6 petals.

Mahogany. Deep, velvety mahogany-red; stigmas plum color. 6 petals.

Mount Hood. True blue with white stigmas. 6 petals.

Ondine. White, blue shading toward the center; white stigmas. 3 large petals.

Orion. Red-violet, veined white; white stigmas. 6 large petals.

Othello. Lavender-blue, pronounced white veining; white stigmas. 6 petals.

Pink Progress. Pinkish lavender overlaid with silver sheen. 3 large petals.

Porcelain Sceptic. Red-violet veined and overlaid white; white stigmas. 3 petals.

Princess Clothilde. Porcelain-blue on an ash-gray background. 6 petals.

Pyramid. Violet-blue, center of petals veined white. 6 petals.

Rosanne. Light purple with heavy purple veins; stigmas dark plum color. Excellent. 6 petals.

Snowbound. A glorious pure white. 3 petals.

Toledo. White with very light blue veins; stigmas light blue. 3 petals.

PRICES

40 cts. each

3 of 1 variety for \$1.00 10 of 1 variety for \$3.00

INTRODUCTORY IRIS OFFERS

20 1 each of 20 choicest varieties described on this page, labeled, for **\$4.85**
(Practically half-priced)

10 plants, varieties of your selection, in any combination, for **\$2.50**



PHLOX

For brilliant, bold color effects in mass during the late summer and autumn, the Hardy Phloxes are indispensable. Without them it would be difficult to maintain the display of dazzling color afforded during July and August, at a time when there is little else in bloom to be depended upon.

Simple of culture, they require a rich soil. Frequent feedings will insure richer flower trusses. Removing flower-heads after blooming-time will encourage new flowers from side shoots to lengthen the blooming period.

Count Zeppelin. One of the few good white Phlox; crimson eye. 85 cts. for 3; \$2.30 for 10; \$20 per 100.

Daily Sketch. Outstanding. The largest and finest of the pink Phlox. Enormous florets and huge trusses of lovely pink with a deeper eye. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$22 per 100.

Enchantress. Bright salmon-pink with dark red eye. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$22 per 100.

Eva Foerster. Very large flowers and trusses of bright salmon-rose with white eye. Has fine foliage and produces its great heads of bloom with real abandon. 50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3; \$4 for 10.

Fiancee. One of the best pure whites. A strong grower. 85 cts. for 3; \$2.30 for 10; \$20 per 100.

G. V. Llewellyn. Rich salmon-red. Fine large trusses and clean crisp foliage. 50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3; \$4 for 10.

H. B. May. Soft clear pink. Large trusses. 85 cts. for 3; \$2.30 for 10; \$20 per 100.

Leo Schlageter. Brilliant scarlet-carmine with a darker center, in large pyramidal trusses. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$22 per 100.

Lillian. Large trusses of soft pink flowers with light blue eyes. Compact grower. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$22 per 100.

Katherine. Large, light lavender with a whitish eye. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10.

Margaret Gavin Jones. Large pink florets with carmine eyes. \$1 for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$22 per 100.

Mary Louise. A new variety of great merit. Glistening, waxy white flowers in extra-large heads. Largest blooms of all the white Phlox. 50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3; \$4 for 10.

Morgenrood. Deep rose; very free flowering. 85 cts. for 3; \$2.30 for 10; \$20 per 100.

Rosenberg. Rich purple. 85 cts. for 3; \$2.30 for 10; \$20 per 100.

Swerg Wanadis. Deep lavender toward center with lighter edge. 50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3; \$4 for 10.

ORIENTAL POPPY

(*Papaver orientale*)

For dazzling, barbaric splendor, the great Oriental Poppies are absolutely unrivaled. Standing out in bold relief they command attention and admiration. The prevailing color is a vivid orange-scarlet, with large black blotches at the base of the petals, and a great mass of bluish black stamens in the heart of the large, cup-shaped flowers.

We have combed the list of varieties to be sure of offering you the best. Also we have included some of the new ones that we selected after serious comparison and study. For your convenience we have listed them as to color predominance.

September and October are fine months to plant Poppies. We have sometimes had our best luck when planting in late October and early November. Given reasonably rich soil and a light winter covering, these strong field-grown plants will be sturdy and free flowering next spring.

PINK AND SALMON

Ethel Swete. Cherry-pink with black blotches. **Joyce.** Old rose color. Exceptionally strong growth.

Mrs. John Hawkins. Large; shell-pink. Blooms ten days longer than any other variety.

Ridgewood Beauty. Large lovely pink flowers. **Spotless.** A very fine clear pink.

Tulipa. Orange-pink. Petals strong and of great substance, thereby lengthening the blooming period.

RED OR SCARLET

Beauty of Livermere. The finest dark crimson with black blotch. Flowers freely produced.

Cavalier. Flowers are crinkly and deep scarlet-red. Strong grower and free bloomer.

Grand Mogul. Bright red blooms with big black blotches.

Wurtembergia. Brilliant dark scarlet of great size and substance.

WHITE

Perry's White. Fine satiny white with a maroon blotch at the base of each petal.

ORANGE-SCARLET

Bracteatum. Large orange-scarlet blooms. **Lord Lambourne.** Resembles a parrot tulip.

Deeply fringed orange-scarlet petals.

Oriflamme. Immense orange-scarlet flowers.

Premier. Semi-double flowers 9 to 10 inches in diameter, of flame-colored orange-red.

ORANGE-APRICOT

Mrs. Perry. Large; orange-apricot. Very fine. **Perfection.** Large; orange-apricot. Similar to but later than Mrs. Perry.

40 cts. each; \$1 for 3 of one variety;
\$3.25 for 10 of one variety

SPECIAL POPPY OFFER

10 2 each of 5 distinct colors, our selection, each plant labeled, 10 plants for \$3

HEMEROCALLIS

(DAY-LILY)

Lily-like plants with grass-like leaves and yellow and orange flowers. They are all easy growers, thrive in almost any situation, and grow admirably in partial shade. By selection of varieties the flowering season can be prolonged from late May to early August. Fine for cut-flowers in the daytime, closing after dark.

All Early and Late-flowering Varieties, 50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3; \$4.50 for 10 of any one variety.

Early-flowering Varieties

Hemerocallis, Aureole. Golden yellow flowers. A very early-blooming variety. 3 ft. May, June.

H. citrina. Large, very fragrant, sulphur-yellow flowers. 3 ft. June, July.

H., Florham. Golden yellow, trumpet-shaped flowers marked darker yellow. June, July.

H., Gold Dust. Buttercup-yellow flowers. 3 ft. June.

H., Sovereign. A very early-blooming variety with flowers of deep orange. 2 to 3 ft. June, July.

Late-flowering Varieties

H., George Yeld. Large; golden yellow with brown suffusion. 3½ ft. July.

H., Kwanso. Large; double; golden bronze. Very showy. The only good double. 3½ ft. July, Aug.

H., Lemona. Large, pale yellow flowers produced on 3½-foot stems in late July.

H., Mrs. W. H. Wyman. Rich golden yellow flowers on 3½-foot stems in July and August.

H., Ophir. A tall-growing lemon-yellow variety producing its flowers in late July and early August. 4 ft.

H., Clifton Gold. New. Golden yellow, lily-like flowers, opening wide on 3-foot stems, produced in mid-July. 75 cts. each; \$2 for 3.

H., Clifton Lemon. New. Lemon-yellow flowers opening very wide and produced in great abundance in mid-July on 4-foot stems. 75 cts. each; \$2 for 3.

SPECIAL PHLOX OFFER

16 Large Field Clumps, for \$3.75

2 each of 8 varieties marked ●
(Regular value \$5.50)

A great reduction because this field of Phlox must be moved this fall as land was sold

SPECIAL DAY-LILY OFFER

12 plants, 2 each of 3 early and 3 late varieties, our selection, each plant labeled. (Regular \$6 value) . . . for \$4.50

Hardy Deciduous and Evergreen Azaleas

MORE than forty years ago we found that brilliant color in American gardens during May and early June was sadly lacking except for Holland bulbs. We therefore began importing Azaleas, later to find they could be successfully propagated here. The result is that today we are the world's largest Azalea growers and able to offer them at greatly reduced prices so that everybody may enjoy them. Try at least a few massed in the foreground of existing shrubbery and foundation plantings that may otherwise be drab. All types and varieties we grow are hardy and easy of culture, although they do prefer a slightly sheltered position and the addition of leaf mold, peat moss, or some acid fertilizer to an average garden loam.

Evergreen Azaleas

- Azalea amoena.** Bright rosy purple flowers in May. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, with an equal spread. 9 to 15 in. \$1.25 each.
- A. amoena superba.** Darker purple than Amoena with larger flowers. More upright in habit of growth. Grows 5 to 6 feet high and spreads 3 feet. 9 to 12 in. \$1.25 each.
- A. Benigiri.** Deep bright red, almost scarlet. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. 9 to 12 in. \$1.25 each.
- A., Daybreak.** Single light pink blooms in dense clusters. Spreads 2 to 3 ft. 9 to 12 in. \$1.50 each.
- A., Flame.** Single, madder-red, suffused with copper shades. Strong upright grower. 8 to 10 in. \$1.25 each.
- A. Hinodegiri.** The profuse blooming of this Azalea justifies it as the most popular of all the scarlet-crimson Azaleas. Grows 2 to 3 feet high and spreads. 3 to 4 feet. 6 to 8 in. 75 cts. each; 8 to 10 in. \$1.25.
- A. Hinomayo.** One of the best single clear soft pinks. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, with equal spread. 9 to 12 in. \$1.25 each.
- A. Kaempferi.** Torch Azalea. Rugged, tall-growing, nearly deciduous. Fiery red. Grows 4 to 5 feet high, upright, with a narrow 2-foot spread. 12 to 15 in. \$1.50 each.



Azalea ledifolia (indica) alba. One of the hardiest of the Evergreen Azaleas. Large, single, pure white flowers. Spreading type to about 4 feet. 1 ft. \$1.50 each.

A. ledifolia (indica) Hybrids. Large, single flowers in all shades of lavender, pink, and rosy reds. Spreading type to about 5 feet. 15 to 18 in. spread \$1.75 each.

A. macrantha. Large, single, salmon-red flowers in June. A fine compact, low grower. Spreading type to about 3 feet. 6 to 8 in. diam. 75 cts. each.

A. Maxwelli. Large; single; glowing deep rose. Spreads 4 to 5 feet. 9 to 12 in. \$1.25 each.

A. Maxwelli alba. Single, snow-white flowers, 3 inches across. Loose, spreading habit and fast grower. Grows about 5 feet high and 4 feet wide. 9 to 12 in. \$1.50 each.

A., Morning Glow. Semi-double; salmon-blotched rose. Spreads 2½ to 3 feet. 9 to 12 in. \$1.50 each.

A., Sunstar. Single; rose-pink with carmine stripes. Spreads 2½ to 3 feet. 8 to 10 in. \$1.35 each.

Azalea Pontica and Rustica

These hardy Ghent Azaleas are in their glory when the *Azalea mollis* blooms have gone by. The bloom period of the many fine varieties we grow extends from May 15 to June 15. They are the real Azalea Gems for the connoisseur.

We have prepared a complete list of named varieties of Pontica and Rustica Azaleas which we shall gladly mail upon request.

Deciduous Azaleas

Producing undreamed-of colors and shades in yellow, reddish orange, apricot and salmon, lavender and pink. All grow as neat, compact shrubs to a height of about 4 feet. No landscape planting is ever complete without B.&A. Deciduous Azaleas. Even their foliage is wonderful.

Azalea altaclarens. *Altaclare Azalea.* Single, deep orange flowers changing to bright yellow, in large trusses. 12 to 15 in. \$2 each.

A. mollis. *Chinese Azalea.* The predominating colors in the Mollis group are best described as a combination of burnt-orange, salmon and flame. Colors on the same plant vary as the blooms open fully. Never have more striking, at the same time harmonious, colors been produced on any shrubby plant. 10 to 15 in. \$1.35 each; 15 to 20 in. \$2.25.

A. mollis, Louisa Hunnewell. Very showy orange-yellow shading to salmon. 12 to 15 in. \$1.75 each; 15 to 18 in. \$2.25.

A. mollis, Nicolas Beets. Light clear sulphur-yellow. 12 to 15 in. \$1.75 each; 15 to 18 in. \$2.25.

A. mucronulatum. *Daburian Azalea.* Lavender-pink. Excellent with forsythia in early April. 10 to 12 in. 85 cts. each; 15 to 18 in. \$1.50; 1½ to 2 ft. \$2.25.

A. pontica. *Pontica Azalea.* Mixed colors in unnamed varieties. 12 to 15 in. \$1.50 each; 15 to 18 in. \$2.25.

A. Schlippenbachii. *Royal Azalea.* Lovely single flowers of pale rose-pink, upper petals lightly spotted with brown. 8 to 10 in. \$1 each; 10 to 12 in. \$1.50.

*We have larger size specimen plants in most of the Azaleas on this page.
Prices upon request*

DISCOUNT: Deduct 10 per cent for orders that total \$10.00 or more selected from items on this particular page.

Greenhouse Plants

Among the thousands of plants grown in our 8 acres of greenhouses, we have many suitable for small private greenhouses or conservatories. Tender azaleas are a specialty with us and are easily forced for colorful blooms in winter. Greenhouse Grapes are another interesting specialty meeting with favor; they are delicious. Write for prices and advice on culture.



HARDY
AZALEAS



FLOWERING CRABAPPLES

(*Malus*)

Malus atrosanguinea. *Carmine Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. About May 5 the well-formed head of the shrub is covered with clusters of dark pink and carmine flowers. A handsome lawn specimen. 4 to 5 ft., \$2 each.

M. baccata. *Siberian Crab.* Grows 8 to 10 ft. A small, spreading shrub with bright green leaves, covered in early May with pure white, fragrant flowers, followed by ornamental yellow fruits spotted red. 4 to 5 ft., \$2 each.

M. floribunda. *Flowering Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. About May 5, a glorious sight with its contrasting pink buds and white flowers. Yellow fruits. 4 to 5 ft., \$2 each.

M. Halliana Parkmani. *Parkman Crab.* Grows 10 to 12 ft. Semi-double, rosy red flowers on long, thin stems. At their best early in May. Slow growing. 3 to 4 ft., \$2 each.

M. ioensis fl. pl. *Bechtel Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. A robust round-headed shrub, bearing large, double pink flowers resembling roses. Fragrant flowers appear after the others have stopped blooming. May 15 to 25. 5 to 6 ft., \$3.25 each.

M. Niedzwetzkyana. *Red-vein Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. The entire shrub is suffused with a reddish purple tint, including the bark, leaves, and flower. May. 4 to 5 ft., \$2 each.

M. Sargentii. *Sargent Crab.* Grows 8 to 10 ft. Useful shrub for the small garden. Covered with clear white flowers. Small dark red fruit. Very hardy. May 5 to 15. 4 to 5 ft., \$2.50 each.

M. Scheideckeri. *Scheidecker Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. Large, double bright pink flowers of lasting quality. May 5 to 15. A great profusion of waxy yellow fruits later. Pyramidal shape. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.75 each.

M. spectabilis. *Chinese Flowering Crab.* Grows 12 to 15 ft. The first of the Asiatic Crab-apples brought to America from England in 1780. Fragrant, delicate pink flowers, appearing about May 10, are semi-double and double. Fruit pale yellow. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.75 each.

M. theifera. *Tea Crab.* Grows 15 to 18 ft. A handsome and scarce variety with fragrant, clear pink flowers and beautiful waxy fruit with crimson cheeks. One of the very choicest. May 5 to 15. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.75 each.

FLOWERING TREES and SHRUBS SHADE TREES and EVERGREENS

and all other plants used for Landscape Beauty
are found in BOBBINK & ATKINS great nursery

In a catalogue of this nature it is not possible to present the complete roster of plants we grow and sell. Frankly, we have included mainly the plants which can be easily transported when ordered by mail or telephone. In all fairness to ourselves and customers who have not yet learned of the other valuable plant material we produce, we outline it as follows:

SHADE TREES in all sizes and varieties, including Oaks, Maples, Lindens, Ginkgos, and Oriental Planes.

FLOWERING TREES for lawn specimens, such as Dogwoods, Laburnums, Cherries, Crabs, and Oxydendrons.

The unusual **FLOWERING SHRUBS** as well as the more common kinds such as Spireas, Weigelas, Deutzias, and others.

EVERGREENS, including the largest assortment of Taxus (Yews) in America; Retinosporas, Junipers, Spruces, Hemlocks, are available in all sizes and shapes.

The chances are very good that Bobbink & Atkins will be able to supply all of your plant needs even though you do not find them listed in this catalogue. Your inquiries by mail, phone, or in person are heartily welcome.

How to Use Plants—What, Where and When to Plant

Not only are we growers of fine Ornamentals and Fruit Trees, but we maintain a staff of trained horticulturists and landscape designers whose practical experience is yours for the asking. This is a distinct part of our service to intending purchasers and customers and we invite you to make use of it locally or by mail. Always think of Bobbink & Atkins as Growers, Designers, and Planters of Landscape Beauty.

Location of Our Sales Office and Display Grounds

While it may be difficult for many of you to motor to the Nursery, at the same time we want you to feel you are always welcome whenever and however it is convenient for you to come. New Jersey Routes 17 and 6 lead to Hoboken Road (near the huge Bendix plant) and Paterson Avenue.

The Carlton Hill station on the Erie Railroad is but a ten-minute walk from our main office. From Rutherford on the Erie is a five-minute bus ride.

Busses run frequently from New York City to Rutherford and thence to East Rutherford. We are just nine miles from the heart of New York City.

The Evergreen Edging or Border Plants in this picture are Boxwood. This variety is very hardy *Buxus sempervirens*, which can be sheared to any desired height.

**\$1.90
for 10
\$17.50
per 100
in lots of 50
or more
(9 to 12-in.
plants)**



Mail and Telephone Orders and Deliveries

We have always been equipped to transact a large mail order business by Parcel Post and Railway Express to all parts of the United States. We trust our valued patrons in the New York Metropolitan area who formerly motored to the nursery to make their purchases will now make use of our mail-order service and truck delivery when practical and economical.

Phone: Rutherford 2-0700



KATHARINE HAVEMEYER

MME. LEMOINE

SOUV. DE L. SPAETH

SPECIAL LILAC OFFER A

Five super-size plants for \$12.50

Averaging 3 to 4 feet. (Regular \$15 value)

CAPITAINE PERRAULT. Rosy mauve.
COLBERT. Bluish violet; fragrant; double.
KATE HARLIN. White; single; long clusters.
KATHARINE HAVEMEYER. Pinkish; double; large.

MARECHAL FOCH. *New.* Reddish purple; immense flowers.

A collection rich in color and fragrance and one that will give a prolonged blooming period. Allow 4 to 5 feet each way for future development.

LILAC OFFER B

Strong, well-branched plants, 2 to 3 feet.

MME. CASIMIR PERIER. Creamy white; double.
LUCIE BALTET. Pink; single.
VIOLETTA. *New.* Dark violet; semi-double.
SOUV. DE L. SPAETH. Dark rosy purple; single.
MARECHAL FOCH. *New.* Reddish purple; immense.

Five Fragrant Lilacs for \$7.50
 (Regular value \$10.25)

SPECIAL LILAC OFFER C

Three fragrant and colorful varieties, 2 to 3 feet, *our selection*, each one labeled, in three different colors, including the finest double pure white

FOR \$4.25
 (Regular value \$5.40)

LILACS

EXCEPT for the rose, no flower is more closely wrapped up in the esteem and affection of the American people. No plant offers so much for so little—old-time fragrance, wide range of color, profusion of bloom, and hardiness.

Let your Lilacs bring rest and refreshment to your body and mind. Make Lilacs a "garden must" for fall. To be enjoyed next spring, they must be planted this fall. They will get established before frost, and with the first warm breath of spring the buds will start to swell.

The purchase of the following "priced-to-sell" varieties, in sizes that become readily established, will prove a real investment. Make your selections now.

All strong, well-branched, blooming-size, 2 to 3-foot plants

Adelaide Dunbar. Rosy purple; double. Late. \$1.50 each.

Capitaine Baltet. Warm purple-lilac; huge panicles of very large flowers. Midseason. \$2 each.

Catinat. *New.* Mauve-pink; single. Early. \$2.50 each.

Charles Joly. Reddish purple. \$1.50 each.

Charles the Tenth. Rosy purple; single. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Condorcet. Slate-blue; double. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Dr. Charles Jacobs. Dark purple; single. Late. \$2 each.

Edith Cavell. White; semi-double. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Furst Lichtenstein. Grayish pink; single; very fragrant. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Glory of Horstenstein. Rosy purple; single. Early. \$2 each.

Henri Martin. Lilac; semi-double. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

Herman Eilers. Distinct rose; single. Early. \$2 each.

Hugo Koster. Rosy purple; single; very fragrant. Early. \$1.50 each.

Jan Van Tol. White; single. Early. \$2 each.

Kate Harlin. White; single; long clusters. Midseason. \$2 each.

Katharine Havemeyer. Pinkish; double; large. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Lucie Baltet. Pink; single. Early. \$2 each.

Marie Legraye. White; single. Early. \$1.25.

Marechal Foch. *New.* Reddish purple; immense flowers. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

Mme. Antoine Buchner. Pink; double. Very showy. Midseason. \$2 each.

Mme. Casimir Perier. White; double. Midseason. \$2 each.

Mme. Felix. White; single; low grower; free flowering. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Mme. Lemoine. White; double. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Mons. J. Demessemaker. Purple; single. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

President Grevy. Blue; double; very fragrant. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

President Lincoln. Blue; single. Early. \$1.50 ea.

Prof. Hugo de Vries. *New.* Mauve-pink; single; very large individual flowers. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

Souv. de L. Spaeth. Rosy purple; single. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Violetta. *New.* Dark violet; semi-double. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

Virginite. Pinkish; double; low grower. Early. \$1.50 each.

B. & A. Quality Hybrid Rhododendrons

SPECIAL

RHODODENDRON OFFER No. 1

6 varieties, our selection,

in a complete color-range as illustrated.

1½ ft. (Regular value \$19.50), for . . . **\$15.60**

Each plant correctly labeled, balled, and burlapped

RHODODENDRON OFFER No. 2

5 varieties, our selection,

as illustrated, in a smaller size to average 12 to 15 inches, bushy, blooming-size plants.

(Regular value \$12.50), for **\$9.75**

Each plant correctly labeled, balled, and burlapped

RHODODENDRON OFFER No. 3

3 varieties,

1 pink, 1 white, 1 red, averaging 12 to 15 inches. (Regular value \$7.50), for **\$6.25**

Each plant correctly labeled, balled, and burlapped

RHODODENDRON OFFER No. 4

6 plants, one each of the following varieties, 18 to 24-inch bushy plants.

(Regular value \$24), for **\$19.50**

ALBUM ELEGANS. White, faintly shaded violet and mauve.

CHARLES DICKENS. Bright scarlet-red.

DR. C. H. DRESSELHUYS. One of the very best. Pure red.

PURPUREUM ELEGANS. Purple.

ROSEUM ELEGANS. Rose-pink, shading to lilac.

ROSEUM SUPERBUM. Brilliant pink.

RHODODENDRON—best loved of broad-leaved evergreens—now at mass-planting prices. Bobbink & Atkins, America's Rhododendron Specialists, bring these glorified beauties to your garden. We grow the varieties adapted to easy garden culture. This is the time and your opportunity to plant Rhododendrons as you have really wanted to. Use them in groups or masses in front of taller evergreens and shrubs; in foundation plantings; along curves and turns in your garden plan to give surprise color effects in May and June and gorgeous rich foliage all year.

Directions for the simple culture of B. & A. Rhododendrons are sent with each order.

Deduct 10% quantity discount when 10 or more, your selection, are ordered

PRICES ON LARGER SIZES UPON APPLICATION

The 12 Leading Hybrid Rhododendrons

ALBUM ELEGANS. White, faintly shaded violet and mauve.

CARACTACUS. Crimson-carmine.

CATAWBIENSE ALBUM. An excellent white.

CHARLES DICKENS. Bright scarlet-red.

DR. C. H. DRESSELHUYS. One of the very best pure reds.

E. S. RAND. Crimson-scarlet.

EVERESTIANUM. Rosy lilac shaded violet.

MRS. C. S. SARGENT. Very deep, rich shade of pink.

PARSON'S GLORIOSUM. Soft shell-pink.

PURPUREUM ELEGANS. Purple.

ROSEUM ELEGANS. Rose-pink, shading to lilac.

ROSEUM SUPERBUM. Brilliant pink.

Available in the following sizes and prices: 11 to 15 in., \$2.50 each; 15 to 18 in., \$3.25

BOULE DE NEIGE, the dwarf and spreading pure white. 12 to 15 in., \$3 each; 15 to 18 in., \$4.



LOW EVERGREEN SHRUBS

UNDER this heading we include the best evergreen shrubs of slow, neat, compact growth that attain a height of from 2 to 5 or 6 feet. The height, spread, and form can be regulated by judicious pruning from time to time so the plants will "fit in" with the desired effect.

BUXUS sempervirens. *Common Box.* Nearly everyone knows Boxwood. It was a part of our earliest gardens. The glossy aromatic foliage is usually fresh and green. Especially good for edging and specimen use in formal gardens. Can be sheared to any desired height. 6 to 8 inch, \$1.35 for 10, \$12 per 100; 8 to 10 inch, 22 cts. each, \$1.90 for 10, \$17.50 per 100.

B. sempervirens myrtifolia. One of the hardest Boxwoods. Grows quite rapidly. Blue-green foliage retains a good color all year. Use in locations where other varieties are not hardy. Can be sheared to any desired height. 6 to 8 inch, \$1.35 for 10, \$12 per 100; 8 to 10 inch, 22 cts. each, \$1.90 for 10, \$17.50 per 100.

BERBERIS Julianæ. *Wintergreen Barberry.* This splendid evergreen shrub with serrated green leaves, yellow flowers and purple fruit, is one of the finest evergreen Barberries. Strong upright growth, hardy and at home with rhododendrons, laurel or other broad-leaved evergreen shrubs. 12 to 15 inch, \$1 each; 15 to 18 inch, \$1.50.

ILEX crenata. *Small-leaved Holly.* Grows 6 to 7 ft. This evergreen shrub grows into a dense compact bush with oval, dark green, glossy leaves like boxwood, and produces many shiny black berries. It stands shearing and is good for low evergreen hedges or as individual specimens. An effective plant against walls. 15 to 18 inch, *B&B, \$1.75 each; 1½ to 2 foot B&B, \$2.75.

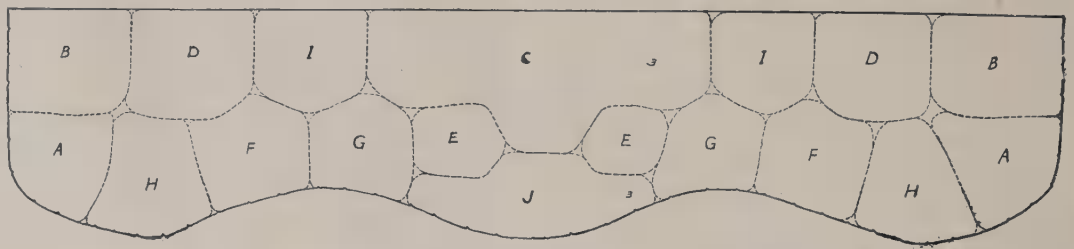
I. crenata convexa (bullata). *Boxleaf Holly.* Grows 2 to 3 ft. An excellent hardy substitute for Boxwood as an edging plant. Small, shiny, dark green leaves. Can be sheared to dwarf proportions. We recommend its use in cold climates. 9 to 12 inch *B&B, \$1.35 each; 12 to 15 inch *B&B, \$1.75.

I. crenata latifolia. *Round-leaf Holly.* Grows 6 to 8 ft. Its fast and loose growth gives it a definite character. Leaves round, dark, shiny green retaining a good color all year; berries black. For foundation plantings, hedges or specimens. 1 to 1½ ft. *B&B, \$2 each.

I. crenata microphylla. *Little-leaf Holly.* Grows 5 to 6 ft. Somewhat like *I. crenata*, with smaller leaves. It is considered hardier. When planted singly it develops into a beautiful specimen. 10 to 15 inch *B&B, \$1.50 each; 15 to 18 inch *B&B, \$2.50.

I. glabra. *Inkberry.* Grows 4 to 5 ft. Native evergreen shrub found from Massachusetts to Florida and west to the Mississippi River. Its rich black-green foliage and black berries blend with rhododendrons, laurel, etc., in naturalistic plantings. Grows nicely at the seashore. 1 ft. *B&B, \$1.50 each.

*B&B means dug with a ball of soil securely wrapped in burlap.



Broadleaf and Flowering Evergreen Border

Here is a collection of the choicest of nursery stock. We have chosen those varieties that might truly be called the "crown jewels of horticulture." As a border 30 feet long and 6 feet wide, it will give immediate pleasurable returns that will steadily increase with the growth in size and beauty. This collection may also be tastefully arranged to make a most pleasing foundation planting for the home.

Key

- A 2 CONVEX-LEAF HOLLY** (*Ilex crenata convexa*). 9 to 12 in. Glossy, box-like foliage and a pleasing low-rounded form. Decorative the year round.
- B 2 REDVEIN ENKIANTHUS** (*Enkianthus campanulatus*). 1½ to 2 ft. A tall spire-like plant with pleasing dull foliage, reddish stems and clusters of pink bell-like flowers in late spring.
- C 3 HYBRID RHODODENDRONS.** 12 to 15 in. These choice broad-leaved evergreens add dignity to any garden.
- D 2 ORIENTAL HOLLY** (*Ilex crenata*). 15 to 18 in. An upright-growing small glossy-leaved plant which assumes the character of a red cedar, or it can be encouraged to grow in a somewhat broad pyramidal form.
- E 2 ANDROMEDA** (*Pieris japonica*). 12 to 15 in. This choice broad-leaved evergreen with long glossy foliage bears clusters of white flowers in early spring. The new foliage is rich red.
- F 2 FIRETHORN** (*Pyracantha coccinea Lalandi*). 15 to 18 in. An indispensable berried shrub producing enormous clusters of brilliant orange fruit. Graceful and informal in growth.
- G 2 ROYAL AZALEA** (*Azalea Schlippenbachii*). 12 to 15 in. A soft and subtle large flower of light pink. Truly a choice kind.
- H 2 AZALEA PONTICA HYBRIDS.** 12 to 15 in. Ranging in color from deep pink to brilliant orange. These Azaleas, which lose their leaves each year, are a welcome addition to any garden. **FREE.**
- I 2 AZALEA MOLLIS.** 10 to 12 in. Clusters of unusually large-sized bloom in shades of yellow and orange. These two lose their leaves in autumn, but not before they have added to the foliage pageant.
- J 3 EVERGREEN AZALEA.** 8 to 10 in. Shades of pink, rose and red. Compact in growth and free-flowering in habit, these distinctive Azaleas will bring you much pleasure.

Included *free* in this group are 2 of the glorious, rare and expensive *Azalea pontica* Hybrids which deserve more popularity.

22 plants for \$21.50

(regular value \$33.70 not including the 2 free Azaleas)

In a sincere effort to acquaint the public with plants that are not yet so well known, we have made a great reduction in their price, knowing that it is going to make us a lot of friends and customers who will thank us for the advice here given.

PIERIS japonica. *Lily-of-the-Valley Shrub.* Grows 5 to 6 ft. One of the most attractive all-year shrubs in our collection. The graceful pendants of flower buds are set in autumn when the foliage assumes glorious red and bronze tints. In early spring the buds open to reveal the waxy white flowers partly concealed by leaves. In half shade or full sun, this shrub will be a lovely specimen. 10 to 15 inch *B&B, \$1.25 each.

PYRACANTHA coccinea Lalandi. *Laland Firethorn.* A spectacular evergreen thorn in autumn when it is garbed with orange-colored berries, mingled with the small glossy green leaves. Flowers arranged in white clusters. A most effective shrub for wall or foundation plantings. Requires slight protection. Grows informally to about 6 feet with equal spread. 15 to 18-in. pot-grown plants \$1.50 each.





DWARF YEW



UPRIGHT YEW

Now You May Have “The Hedge Everlasting”

THESE low prices now permit the purchase of the finest of evergreens for hedge purposes. The heretofore somewhat prohibitively high prices have made this an item available only to a few. We firmly believe that many people cannot or do not wish to pay the high price of larger plants, but are willing to wait a few years for these splendid small plants to produce the beautiful finished effect.

NOTE: Evergreen hedges should be trimmed so they are broader at the bottom than the top.

DWARF YEW *For low hedge or edging*
Taxus brevifolia. 6 to 8 in. Plant 18 inches apart in a straight row. \$4.50 for 10; \$40 per 100 in lots of 50 or more. (Will average 27 cents a running foot when purchased in 100 lots.)

UPRIGHT YEW *For medium or tall hedge*
Taxus cuspidata capitata. 12 to 15 in. Plant 2 feet apart in a straight row. \$6.50 for 10; \$60 per 100 in lots of 50 or more. (Will average 30 cents a running foot when purchased in 100 lots.)

The fibrous roots are carefully packed in damp special sphagnum moss to insure safe arrival of live healthy plants. They pack lightly for economical transportation.

FRUITS FOR FOOD AND BEAUTY

ALL B. & A. fruit trees and bushes offered on this page are not to be compared with customary small sizes frequently offered. Our trees are all 2 or 3 years old, with a trunk diameter averaging $\frac{3}{4}$ inch and a height of 4 to 5 feet. This means heavy, fibrous root-systems to produce good fruit in a comparatively short time. While some varieties such as peaches

do best when planted in the spring, the trees listed below are all safe for fall planting. Even though you are unable to plant them this fall it would be well to order them shipped now and heel them in over winter, burying the roots well. Undoubtedly many varieties will be difficult to obtain in the spring.

APPLE TREES \$1.75 each

Baldwin. Winter. Fine solid round fruit; red and yellow skin.

Delicious. Winter. Large; dark red; aromatic; fine flavor.

Grimes Golden. Winter. Medium-sized; golden yellow, tender.

McIntosh. Winter. Large; round; bright red; flesh white, tender.

Northern Spy. Winter. Bright red; tender juicy flesh.

Red Astrachan. Summer. Deep crimson, tart.

Rome Beauty. Winter. Fine firm red; white flesh.

R. I. Greening. Winter. Late; green, fine-flavored cooking Apple.

Stayman's Winesap. Winter. Yellow with dark red markings.

Wealthy. Autumn. Brilliant red, striped; wine-like flavor.

DWARF APPLE TREES \$2.50 each

Baldwin

Delicious

Stayman's Winesap

Yellow Transparent. Summer. Pale yellow flesh; tender.

McIntosh

Northern Spy

CHERRY TREES \$2.50 each

SWEET:

Black Tartarian. (Oxheart.) Purplish black.

Governor Wood. (Oxheart.) Light yellow with red cheek.

SOUR:

Early Richmond. Most popular of acid Cherries. Dark red.

Montmorency. Bright, clear, shining red.

PEAR TREES \$1.75 each

Bartlett. Summer. Yellow with red blush.

Beurre Bosc. Autumn. Large, long, deep yellow fruit.

Beurre Clairgeau. Autumn. Light yellow fruit shaded crimson.

Clapp's Favorite. Summer. Large; yellow with crimson and russet.

Duchesse d'Angouleme. Autumn. Greenish yellow fruit spotted russet. Often weighs one pound.

Seckel. Autumn. Small; yellowish russet with red cheek.

Sheldon. Autumn. Large; yellow or greenish russet skin. Excellent for eating.

DWARF PEAR TREES \$2.50 each

Bartlett

Seckel

Clapp's Favorite

We have an excellent supply of Apple, Cherry, and Pear Trees in larger sizes. They are all 5 years and over, and prices range from \$5 to \$10 each. These “bearing-size” trees are for local sales and deliveries only, and cannot be economically packed for long transportation.





DORONICUM

Doronicum caucasicum

Yellow marguerite flowers, 2½ to 3 inches across, on 18-inch stems.

50 cts. each; \$1.35 for 3;
10 of one variety for \$4

Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

Bristol Fairy. Double-flowering Baby's-Breath. Very useful with cut-flower arrangements. Grows 2 to 3 feet high. Exceptionally hardy and long-lived. Blooms June to September.

\$1.50 for 3; \$4.50 for 10; \$35 per 100

Lycoris squamigera

Amaryllis Halli

A beautiful member of the lily family whose green foliage of the early spring disappears in June, and is then followed in late summer by thick, bare stems, each bearing 6 to 7 lily-like, pink flowers. 2 ft. Late July, Aug.

This beautiful lily is perfectly hardy and can be successfully planted only in the fall.

\$1 each; \$2.75 for 3; \$8 for 10



LYCORIS SQUAMIGERA

Plant these Perennials . . . this Fall for Beauty Next Spring

THE plants offered here will provide you with beauty next spring if they are set out this fall. The well-grown, sturdy clumps which we offer will get well established before frost and be ready to grow as soon as the ground opens in the spring. Fall planting is absolutely essential if you are to have bloom next year. Besides, it gives you the pleasure of anticipation that comes with planning.

Heuchera

Heuchera, Cascade. A very strong grower with light pink flowers borne on stems over 2 feet high. June, July.

H., Edge Hall. Large, flesh-pink bells and prominent yellow stamens. 1 ft. June, July.

H., Freedom. Long sprays of light rose bells.

H., Jubilee. Large flowers of glistening rose-pink.

H. sanguinea, Pluie de Feu. Excellent bright fiery red flowers on loose, elegant, graceful spikes. 1½ ft. June, July.

H., Saturnale. The darkest of all Heucheras. Flowers wine-red. 1 to 1½ ft. June, July.

H., Snowflake. Pure white. Considered the best white Heuchera.

50 cts. each; 3 of one variety for \$1.35;
10 of one variety for \$4



HEUCHERAS

Sanguinea, Pluie de Feu. Snowflake. Freedom.

Lily-of-the-Valley

Our clumps are the true large-flowering type and are perhaps the best ground-cover for situations of dense shade. They are best planted in late fall.

Large clumps, 40 cts. each;
\$3.50 for 10; \$30 per 100



LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Virginia Bluebell

Mertensia virginica

Flowers blue, funnel-formed, in nodding clusters. Splendid in cool, moist, shady places. Should not be disturbed when once planted and is best planted in the fall.

85 cts. for 3; \$2.50 for 10; \$20 per 100



VIRGINIA BLUEBELL

Bleeding-Heart

Dicentra spectabilis

This fine old favorite, flowering in May and June, is indispensable. Growth commences so early in the spring that best results are obtained by fall planting.

\$1.50 for 3;
\$4 for 10;
\$35 per 100



BLEEDING-HEART

MAGNOLIAS • "The Bluebird Plant of Spring"

THE crisp-petaled beauty of many blooms bursting forth upon an otherwise dreary in-between season exemplifies the lavishness of nature—almost as if nature has splurged its utmost in one bold stroke. The clean gray character—full form of tree, limb and twig—the interesting varying textures of the leaves—the colorful and unusual fall fruit—all these combined make the Magnolia well qualified to lead nature's procession and a decided garden investment.

The purchase of these pot-grown Magnolias as a growing investment will astonish you with their satisfaction. The uninterrupted growth insured by these inclosed, *complete* root systems permits first-year blooms that may be safely enjoyed. There is no transplanting shock to these excellently formed plants, rather, a release to the quicker attainment of the fascinating mature plant. It has taken us years to develop successful propagating methods to produce these perfect "fool-proof" Magnolias now well established and growing in pots. They are now four-year blooming-size plants.

Magnolia conspicua. *Yulan Magnolia.*

The very large, creamy white, sweet-scented flowers, 6 inches across, appear in April. A small tree with spreading branches. \$2.50 each.

M. parviflora. *Oyama Magnolia.* In June, it produces lovely, white, cup-shaped flowers, with a rosette of deep crimson stamens in the center and an unforgettable lingering fragrance. \$2.50 each.

M. Soulangeana. *Saucer Magnolia.* The popular variety of northern gardens. Large pink-white flowers, tinted purple at edges, April 25 to May 5. Small tree, 15 to 18 ft. \$2.50 each.

Magnolia glauca (M. virginiana).

Known to Southerners as the Sweet Bay, has beautiful foliage, glossy green above and silvery gray on the under side. White flowers appear in June and July and are deliciously fragrant. They are followed by clusters of bright orange-red fruits lasting into August. It prefers low, moist ground. Grows 8 to 10 feet tall. This variety does not stand potting and therefore is shipped balled and burlapped. \$2.00 each.

M. Soulangeana Alexandrina. A pronounced dark red, deep purple toward base, bud opening to white inside, blooming May 1 to 10. \$2.50 each.



MAGNOLIA STELLATA ROSEA. \$3.50 each

OFFER No. 1

Special Pot-Grown Magnolias

1 each of any 2 varieties **\$4.50**
priced \$2.50 for



B. & A. pot-grown Magnolia ready for delivery

M. Soulangeana nigra. *Purple Lily Magnolia.* This large shrub-like plant, 8 to 10 feet high, has the darkest of Magnolia blossoms. Large, dark purple flowers, May 8 to 25, outlast many others and serve well to contrast with other varieties or accent alone. \$2.50 each.

M. Soulangeana speciosa. *Striped Saucer Magnolia.* Flowers are white with a purple stripe on the outside of the petals. Compact grower, 12 to 15 feet in height. \$2.50 each.

Our 56-page Catalogue

Published in spring 1942, it offers a wider selection of plant material, practically all of which is available this fall. A copy is yours for the asking if you do not already own one

OFFER No. 2

"Dwarf" Pot-Grown Magnolias

1 Magnolia stellata \$3.00
1 Rare Magnolia stellata rosea . 3.50
\$5.45 Regular value . \$6.50

Dwarf Slow-growing Varieties

Magnolia stellata. *Star Magnolia.* A lovely dwarf species. The first Magnolia to bloom (about April 8 to 20) with semi-double, sweet-scented, star-shaped white flowers 3 inches across. Forms a round bush 8 to 10 feet high with small attractive foliage that makes an excellent specimen, border or accent plant. \$3 each.

M. stellata rosea. *True Pink Star Magnolia.* A rare dwarf variety of Stellata. The rose-pink flowers, April 8 to 20, are not only unusual but in our opinion make this plant a garden "must" and its habit of growth and size make this possible to everyone. \$3.50 each.

SAFE ARRIVAL GUARANTEED



MAGNOLIA GLAUCA (M. virginiana). \$2 each

• Flowering SHRUBS •



PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS, or Sweet Mock-Orange as it is familiarly known. (In our grandmother's day the sweet-smelling shrubs were called Syringas, the botanical name now reserved for Lilacs.) Graceful shrubs for the border or specimen use. \$1 each.



STEWARTIA. In July when flowering shrubs are scarce, you can enjoy these choice flowers—creamy white in color marked with showy yellow centers and flushed red on the outside. Plants are slender in growth and the foliage is rich-textured. Unfolding buds look like balls of cotton. A rare and choice shrub. \$1.85 each; \$5 for 3.



These pictures of berried shrubs prompt us to suggest the Viburnums with their showy fruits, Aronia (the Red Chokeberry), the Cotoneasters, the Loniceras and Symphoricarpos. All of these shrubs listed opposite produce a great abundance of fruit for fall decoration and to feed the birds as well.



NEILLIA SINENSIS. The slender branches of this glossy-leaved shrub are showy with graceful racemes of pinkish flowers in late June. In winter the reddish brown branches stand out against the snow. \$1.50 each.



VITEX MACROPHYLLA. In July and August when flowering shrubs are scarce, the Vitex makes a spectacular show with its long spikes of lavender-blue flowers produced in great abundance. Why not introduce one into your foundation planting or in your shrub border where summer color is needed? 75 cts. each.

DECIDUOUS FLOWERING SHRUBS

LOSING their leaves in winter, they are, nevertheless, indispensable for all inexpensive plantings. After their main flowering season we could not do without their colorful foliage and brilliant berries, together with their colored twigs and branches in winter.

Our young shrubs, averaging 3 feet in height before pruning, are just at the right age for successful transplanting. The desire for immediate effect is sometimes unwise, for large, overgrown shrubs do not take hold readily and after two or three years nothing is gained, whereas younger plants take hold with no set-back.

ARONIA arbutifolia. *Red Chokeberry.* A most ornamental shrub with bright red fruit in autumn, persisting through the winter. Its red foliage is most pronounced in autumn. \$1 each.

A. melanocarpa. *Purple Chokeberry.* Similar to the Red Chokeberry. Fruit lustrous black or black-purple. \$1 each.

CHIONANTHUS virginicus. *White Fringetree.* Large shrub or tree with dark green foliage and feathery white flowers about May 25. Grows 10 to 20 feet. \$1 each.

COTONEASTER Dammeri. Beautiful evergreen shrub. Distinctive because of its prostrate habit and long rooting branches. \$1.25 each.

C. Francheti. *Franchet Cotoneaster.* Handsome, half-evergreen, upright, dense shrub with spreading branches. Its profusely produced orange and red fruit is most attractive. \$1 each.

C. horizontalis. *Rock Cotoneaster.* Half-evergreen shrub with low, horizontally spreading branches. The leaves are box-like, and the whole plant is studded along the stems with miniature, rosebud-like, pink flowers in spring, followed by small brilliant red berries in autumn. 3 to 4-foot spread. \$1.25 each.

C. lucida. Handsome, dense ornamental shrub, much planted for its attractive fruits. Grows 6 to 8 feet. \$1.25 each.

C. racemiflora Veitchii. *Coral-fruited Cotoneaster.* A shrub with erect or spreading branches. The oval leaves are gray-white beneath and glabrous above, giving this variety a character of its own. Beautiful coral fruit borne abundantly makes this one of the best and most attractive Cotoneasters. Grows 4 to 5 feet. \$1.25 each.

C. thymifolia. *Thyme Rockspray.* The smallest-leaved of the Cotoneasters, with dark green shiny foliage. Small red fruit stays until mid-winter. Grows 2 to 3 feet. \$1 each.

DAPHNE Genkwa. *Lilac Daphne.* A rare small shrub, covered in early May with beautiful lilac-lavender flowers; compact and neat in habit. Plant it as a low-growing shrub of about 2 to 3 feet, in a sheltered position in groups of say three or more. \$1 each.

DEUTZIA gracilis. *Slender Deutzia.* A most graceful, free-flowering shrub with slender, often arching branches covered in May with a profusion of white flowers. Low growing up to 2½ feet. 75 cts. each.

D. Lemoinei. Rather low-growing, with slender, arching branches; foliage bright green. Large clusters of graceful white flowers freely produced. Grows to 3½ to 4 feet. \$1 each.

ENKIANTHUS campanulatus. *Redvein Enkiantbus.* Handsome shrub with graceful, pendulous flowers of unusual color—small yellow or pale orange bells with darker veins on short drooping racemes. Rich green foliage turns brilliant red in autumn. Grows to about 5 feet. 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.25 each.

EUONYMUS alatus. *Winged Euonymus.* The characterful, corky-winged branches add greatly to this handsome shrub. The foliage is a fine strawberry color in autumn. Grows to about 6 feet. \$1.25 each.

E. alatus compactus. *Dwarf Winged Euonymus.* Dwarf form of Alatus. \$1.25 each.

FORSYTHIA intermedia spectabilis. *Showy Border Forsythia (Golden Bell).* This is, no doubt, by far the best Forsythia for profusion and bright yellowness of bloom. \$1 each.

F. suspensa. *Weeping Golden Bell.* Somewhat pendulous in habit. Valuable for borders; the branches droop like arches of gold. \$1 each.

KERRIA japonica. *Kerria.* The smooth green branches provide a pleasing winter effect. Yields an abundance of rose-shaped, yellow flowers from June to October. Grows 4 to 5 feet. \$1 each.

KOLKOWITZIA amabilis. *Beautybush.* In early June it is a mass of arching sprays of pale pink, tubular flowers. A shrub of unusual charm and beauty. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

LONICERA fragrantissima. *Winter Honeysuckle.* A beautiful almost evergreen shrub, with very fragrant flowers which appear before the leaves. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

L. Morrowi. Pure white flowers; bright red fruit from August until late fall. Very decorative. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

NEILLIA sinensis. *Chinese Neillia.* A hardy graceful shrub with slender spreading branches bearing numerous racemes of nodding pinkish flowers. Leaves bright green. The drooping zig-zag branchlets are reddish brown, adding to the interest of the plant in winter. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.50 each.

PHILADELPHUS coronarius. *Sweet Mock-Orange.* Flowers pure white with sweet fragrance, produced profusely in May or June on graceful arching branches. Grows 8 to 9 feet. \$1 each.

P. grandiflorus. A very popular, vigorous shrub, with large, creamy white flowers and fine large foliage. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

P. virginialis. *Virginal Mock-Orange.* Immense, fragrant, double white flowers. The best Mock-Orange. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.25 each.

RHODOTYPOS kerrioides. *Jetbead.* Fine light-green-foliaged shrub. Delicate, white, pendulous flowers in spring, followed by black berries which persist throughout the winter. Grows 4 to 5 feet. \$1 ea.

SPIRÆA Reevesiana. Slightly drooping shrub, covered in May with clusters of single white flowers. Leaves remain dark green into winter. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

S. Vanhouttei. A graceful pendulous shrub of superb beauty. Pure white flowers. For hedging or border. Grows 5 to 6 feet. 75 cts. each.

STEWARTIA serrata. A rare, small shrubby tree to 30 feet. Flowers creamy white, flushed red outside, 2 to 2½ inches across, appear in the axils of the dark green leaves. An attractive tree at all times. 2 to 2½ ft., \$1.85 each; \$5 for 3.

SYMPHORICARPOS racemosus. *Snowberry.* Popular hardy shrub of bushy form, with small pink flowers, followed by miniature snowballs in autumn. Grows 4 to 5 feet. 75 cts. each.

S. vulgaris. *Coralberry.* Vigorous and quick grower, covered with purple berries all summer. Grows 4 to 5 feet. 75 cts. each.

SYRINGA vulgaris. *Common Lilac.* This is the old-fashioned Lilac. Displays very fragrant, single purple flowers, middle of May. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

VIBURNUM acerifolium. *Maple-leaved Viburnum.* Flat clusters of white flowers in early spring; black berries in autumn. A plant for shady places. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1 each.

V. Carlesii. *Fragrant Viburnum.* Round heads of white flowers, faintly tinted rose, possessing a delightful fragrance. Bushy habit with wider spread than height. Scents the whole atmosphere at bloom-time. Grows 4 to 5 feet. \$2.25 each.

V. dilatatum. *Linden Viburnum.* Free-flowering variety, with pure white flowers in May and June, followed by scarlet fruits. Bright green foliage, coarsely toothed. Grows 7 to 8 feet. \$1 each.

V. Opulus. *European Cranberrybush.* Very fine in flower; scarlet berries afford beautiful contrast against the three-lobed, coarsely toothed leaves. Grows 8 to 10 feet. \$1 each.

V. Sieboldi. *Siebold's Viburnum.* Long, thick leaves of glossy green, and panicles of white flowers. Grows 8 to 9 feet. \$1 each.

V. tomentosum. *Doublefile Viburnum.* Felty leaves; white flowers in flat panicles; decorative red fruits changing to black. Grows 8 to 10 feet. \$1 each.

V. tomentosum plicatum. *Snowball.* Very handsome, with white, ball-shaped individual flowers often over 3 inches across. Picturesque habit of growth, with the branches at right angles to the main stem, and dark green crimped foliage. Grows 7 to 8 feet. \$1 each.

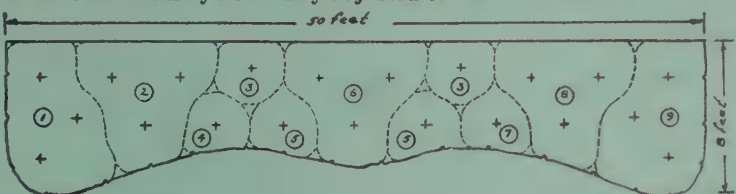
VITEX macrophylla. *Large-leaf Lilac Chastetree.* An attractive, vigorous shrub with large leaves, covered with bright lavender-blue flowers in late summer. Grows 5 to 6 feet. 75 cts. each.

WEIGELA, Eva Rathke. Bears dark carmine-red flowers on short branches from June to August. Grows 4 to 5 feet. \$1 each.

W. rosea. The common pink Weigela. Handsome rose-colored flowers about the end of May. Grows 6 to 7 feet. \$1 each.

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6	3	KOLKOWITZIA amabilis	3 00
7	1	HYDRANGEA arborescens grandiflora	1 00
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LONICERA Heckrotti.

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Flowers purple outside, yellow inside. 80 cts. each.

L. Henryi.

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Hall's Honeysuckle.

A strong grower and constant bloomer. Flowers open white, changing to buff; very fragrant. Excellent for covering banks. 25 cts. each; \$2 for 10; \$15 per 100.

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Large, coral-colored flowers and excellent blue-gray-green foliage. Everblooming. \$1.

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A vine of great merit with its foamy white flowers during the entire summer. 75 cts. each.

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Multijuga alba (floribunda alba).

White Long-cluster Wistaria.

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Similar to Multijuga, but its immense flowers are even longer. 4½-in. pots, \$2.50 each.

Multijuga rosea (floribunda Rosea).

Pink Cluster Wistaria.

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Sinensis.

Chinese Wistaria.

A very strong grower, climbing high and twining tightly. Flowers sky-blue, in long, pendulous clusters. 4-in. pots, \$2.50 each.

Sinensis alba.

White Chinese Wistaria.

Similar to the preceding in growth, but has showy, pendulous racemes of white flowers. 4-in. pots, \$2.50 each.

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Clematis

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Lanuginosa candida. Moderate climber with very large, dazzling white flowers. \$1 each.

Lawsoniana. Bright rose-purple flowers with darker veins. \$1 each.

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Mme. Edouard Andre. The deepest pink, almost red. 75 cts. each.

Nellie Moser. Petals pale mauve and white with maroon bars. Vigorous. \$1.50 each.

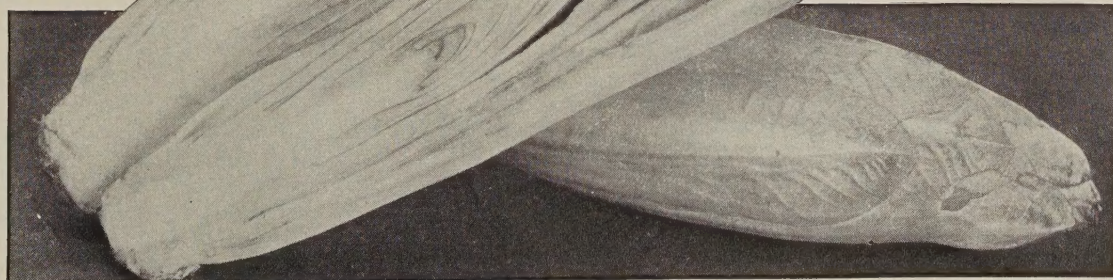
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